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BROKERS PLOT FOR FASCIST COUP IN AMERICA

PARAGUAY REJECTS PEACE PLAN

LEAGUE EFFORT TO END WAR

BOLIVIAN VIEWS NOT DISCLOSED

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Asuncion, Nov. 20.

Paraguay has rejected the League of Nations' proposals to end the Gran Chaco war on the grounds that they showed a total ignorance of the situation.

The League's Special Committee recently brought in recommendations which urged that a neutral zone be declared between Paraguay and Bolivia, that the belligerent nations should be held at Buenos Aires, with a time limit for the settlement of terms, and that if one of the combatants rejected the League's proposals the League should enforce an arms embargo against that state.

There has been no intimation from Bolivia as to the reception the League's plan has had there.—United Press.

FOG SPOILS PAGEANT

KING RIDES IN CLOSED CAR

PARLIAMENT'S REOPENING

London, Nov. 20.

Although fog to-day robbed London of its pageant, and the King and Queen drove to Westminster for the State opening of Parliament in a closed car instead of in the great gilded coach with postillions and outriders, large crowds nevertheless lined the route and loudly cheered Their Majesties, who, in order to mitigate the people's disappointment, had given special orders that the car should proceed slowly.

In the House of Lords, where the King delivered his Speech from the Throne, the ceremonial had all its customary mellow dignity.

The Duke of Kent, by virtue of his recently-conferred Peerage was present for the first time and sat near his brothers, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York.

The King's Speech took only a few minutes, after which Their Majesties, followed by their sons, left the Chamber. They were again loudly cheered as they drove back to Buckingham Palace.—British Wireless.



Captain H. J. Johannessen, commander of the new China, Manchuria Steam Navigation Company vessel, Hal-Yuen, built in England and recently placed on the Shanghai Hongkong Canton run, is here pictured showing guests about his ship just before she left Shanghai for Hongkong. On the right is Mr. Wu Teh-shen, Mayor of Greater Shanghai.

General Butler Tells Of Plan To Overthrow Government

FREE COINAGE OF SILVER

Senator Wheeler Continues Fight

Washington, Nov. 20.

The split between the so-called "silver bloc" members in the Senate was re-emphasised to-day when Senator Wheeler stated that he would re-introduce his bill to authorise the free coinage of silver at a ratio of not more than 16 to one with gold.

He would continue to fight for this measure, he said, with the support of a strong Senate following.—Reuter.

Lancashire Tories Rap Government

NEED OF RELIEF FORGOTTEN

London, Nov. 20.

The "Ginger Group" of Lancashire Conservative members of the House of Commons, which has been most active in question of Japanese competition in textile marks formerly controlled by Britain, to-day submitted an amendment in the debate in reply to the Speech from the Throne regretting that the King's Speech contained no concrete proposals for assisting the cotton, silk and artificial silk industries.

The amendment added that the King's Speech took no account of the consequential depression in occupations allied to the cotton and silk industry, and ignored the urgent need of the great mass of unemployed in Lancashire, Yorkshire and Cheshire.—Reuter.

ATTACKING OPIUM TRAFFICKERS

HARSH TREATMENT FOR SMOKERS

Peking, Nov. 21.

Following the successful suppression of opium traffic in the city, the Municipal authorities of Peking are now launching a campaign against smoking the drug. As a first step, Government officials who have the opium habit are required to register with the Government for medical examination whereby they will be allowed a given period to overcome the craving. This process will be gradually introduced among the general public. Severe punishment will be meted out to incorrigible opium smokers.—Central News.

MILLIONS OFFERED TO BRIBE OFFICER

NOTED FIGURES IMPLICATED

SYNDICATE'S 'AGENT' DENIES CHARGES

DECLARES EVIDENCE PUBLICITY STUNT

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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New York, Nov. 20.

Fantastic, but none the less sensational, reports of plans for the secret organisation of a Fascist army of 500,000 American ex-servicemen to march on Washington and seize control of the state, caused the eyes of the nation to remain fixed on the activities of the Senate Committee investigating these allegations to-day.

In connection with these charges General Smedley Butler, former commanding officer of the United States Marine Corps, appeared before the Committee. It had been stated that General Butler was offered \$3,000,000 to lead the Fascist uprising and take the helm of Government, that he had been offered the dictatorship of the United States on a gold platter.

General Butler was called before the Committee to explain what he had called certain "un-American activities."

He is said to have told the Committee that he refused to organize a Fascist army of half a million veterans for the purpose of marching to Washington and overthrowing the Government.

CORRECT EVIDENCE

Senator Dickstein, vice-chairman of the Committee, declared, following the hearing at which General Butler gave evidence: "From present indications General Butler's evidence is correct." He went on to explain that he meant that General Butler's evidence coincided in fact and detail with information gathered during many weeks past by the Committee's secret agents. "The indications are," the Senator went on, "that some rather important personages have been setting forth ideas which are distinctly un-American."

BROKERS' BACKING?

Mr. Gerald MacGuire, Wall Street bond salesman, to-day denounced as ridiculous the reports that he had conferred with General Butler as the agent of a group of wealthy New Yorkers, some of them brokers, who wanted General Butler to lead a Fascist dictatorship movement. The theory put before the Committee was that the financial backing of the Fascist adventure would come from Wall Street.—United Press.

LONG SESSION

General Smedley Butler gave evidence for two hours to-day before the Senate Committee investigating charges that he had been approached with an offer to lead a Fascist coup d'etat. The suggestion was that General Butler had been approached by a spokesman on behalf of a group of wealthy New York brokers, headed by Mr. Gerald MacGuire. Mr. MacGuire, interviewed to-day, hotly denied the allegation.

BIGGER THAN BUTLER

Senator Dickstein, vice-chairman of the Committee, announced



General Smedley Butler.

there would probably be a public hearing on October 26, and added: "We will have bigger names than Butler's here."

Mr. John MacCormack, chairman of the Committee, emphasised that General Butler had given his evidence voluntarily and said that he was co-operating wholeheartedly in the investigations of the plot, reports of which had been received from other sources also.

NAMED AGAIN

General Butler's evidence, according to newspaper stories, was that he was offered \$3,000,000 to lead a march on Washington and overthrow the Government.

He reportedly stated that Mr. MacGuire made this offer on behalf of a syndicate of brokers, but as the agent and not the prime mover, the newspapers allege.

Entering the Committee room, where he confronted General Butler, Mr. MacGuire suggested bluntly that General Butler's story was nothing more than a publicity stunt.—Reuter.

From Messrs. Gilman and Co. we have received a copy of the October number of Modern Motoring, which contains much of general interest as well as articles on motoring subjects. A special feature is made of the Humber and Billman programmes for 1935.

Political Situation Very Jumpy

FOREIGN RELATIONS CLOSELY GUARDED

MACDONALD'S OUTLOOK

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Nov. 20.

In the House of Commons debate on the Speech from the Throne, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the Prime Minister, to-day admitted that "no doubt the political situation abroad had become very jumpy."

"The most important consideration before the country at the present time," the Prime Minister went on, "is the matter of foreign affairs and our foreign relations."

"Since the events of the past eighteen months have not increased confidence, we propose to carry on co-operative work at Geneva not only as a pacifist Government but in order to promote the best interests of the country," he said.—United Press.

CULTURAL TREASURE

CHINA'S GIFT TO CIVILISATION

Shanghai, Nov. 21.

China's greatest contribution to cultural advancement during the past twenty years has been the opening of museums for scholars and all those genuinely interested in the relics thereof, declared Dr. J. C. Ferguson, well-known authority on Chinese affairs, when addressing an audience here.

He said that in 1914 when the Government first brought certain cultural objects from the Jehol palace and placed them in the Peking palace there was opened an era that brought Chinese and western civilisations closer together.

Dr. Ferguson urged the opening of more museums. He said that great treasures brought to Shanghai from Peking were concealed in a godown—a waste of cultural advancement.—Reuter.

ROYAL WEDDING PLANS

BRIDE IN LONDON TO-DAY

London, Nov. 20.

The Duke of Kent, who to-morrow goes to Dover to meet Princess Marina and her parents, intends, in the event of fog, to leave London by train much earlier than that arranged, in order to be certain of arriving before the boat.

London hospitals with which the Duke is officially connected are to receive portions of the royal wedding cakes, of which there will be five.—British Wireless.

A most attractive recital is to be given by Professor Harry Ore's piano-forte students, assisted by Professor Corrado de la Cruz (violinist) and the German Mixed Choir at the Helena May Institute at 8.30 p.m. on Monday next.

U.S. SENDS OUT HER BILLS

Formal Reminder To Creditors

Washington, Nov. 20.

Formal notices reminding America's foreign creditors that U.S.\$154,726,976 are due for payment on December 12, in instalments on accounts, were sent out by the State Department to-day.

Of this considerable sum Great Britain owes the major part. The British instalment on account of War debts amounts to U.S.\$117,670,756.—Reuter.

VARIED DEBATE

INDIAN POLICY IN REVIEW

PREMIER'S SPEECH

London, Nov. 20.

There was a large attendance when the House of Commons assembled this afternoon, and members soon settled down to the work of the new and important session.

The address to the Throne was moved and seconded, as is usual, by private member, on this occasion Mr. N. K. Lindsay and Colonel Kerr, and both the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. George Lansbury, and the Prime Minister were early speakers in the debate which followed.

Mr. Lansbury, in connection with the Government's proposals outlined in the Speech from the Throne, emphasised that despite the great increase of people in work, unemployment was still widespread. He argued that employers and employed should together try to evolve means of reducing hours and employing extra work people without reducing wages or profits.

WORKING FOR PEACE.

The Prime Minister, reviewing the foreign situation, said there was no doubt that events had happened in Europe during the last 18 months which had not increased confidence, but had been the cause of great concern between nations. The Government had made known their determination to carry on the co-operative work at Geneva through the League, and would continue to further the cause of peace.

Referring to the Disarmament Conference, Mr. MacDonald said its position, although certainly not despairing, was not to be hopeful. They were still determined to get something substantial and international out of its deliberations.

Turning to India, the Prime Minister said the Government would have to give the House full opportunities for discussion, but, in saying that, he did not mean licence. They hoped every question in the report would come before the House and be discussed, but he did not believe the House would allow them to give a rolling and roving commission day after day and week after week.

COMING TO MATURITY.

"The Indian situation," he said, "is one that has been steadily maturing on account of the education and political example we have given to India. Whatever one's views may be, it is sheer folly and blindness to believe that our relations with India, our policy pursued towards India through generations, and the pledges we have given to India, would never come to maturity. They have come to maturity now. This moment is not created by any party, either in India or here. It has been created by the policy of this Government."

PROMISE NEVER MADE

JAPAN EXPLAINS NAVAL POLICY

NO BRITISH STATEMENT

DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE?

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London, Nov. 20.

The suggestion that Japan some time said that if she were granted naval parity she would not build up to it was described to-day as a complete misconception when Mr. Matsudaira, the Japanese Minister, was interviewed.

The actual position is, he said, that Japan, if accorded parity, might not need to build up to the strength of Britain and America in all categories. But she had certainly made no statement that she would not build up to parity if she deemed it necessary. There will be another meeting to-morrow afternoon between Mr. Matsudaira and Sir John Simon, the British Foreign Secretary, and possibly the full delegations will meet.

PROMISES INFORMATION

Mr. MacDonald, the Prime Minister, told the House of Commons yesterday morning that he would be able to instruct the House as to how naval conversation matters stood at once.

"But," he said, "a new movement has taken place in the last thirty-six hours which I think we had better refrain from talking about until the House is able to have the whole story complete in itself." Sir John Simon is due to make a statement on the trend of the conversations at the end of the debate on the reply to the Speech from the Throne. This debate will last five days.—Reuter Special.

country and its relations to its Indian Empire."

He hoped they would be given an opportunity of building a structure which would take its place among those great monuments of political wisdom which mark the evolution of their Imperial constitutional fabric. He was convinced that this would be the result of the deliberations of the House.

NOT AGGRESSIVE

Referring to defence questions, the Premier said the London naval agreement gave them power to call the escalator clause into operation. This they had not done, despite many opportunities presented, because they wanted to demonstrate clearly and definitely to every Power in the world their desire that they were being compelled with by subsidies given by other countries. All they were proposing to do was to establish some measure of equality.

"Here and now, in this way, the Government has let it be known to these countries," said Mr. MacDonald, "that as soon as they are willing to come to arrangements that will be fair, we are prepared to come to that arrangement."—British Wireless.



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FILMLAND NEWS

Comparison of British and American Studios

WHERE U.S. SCORES

With 25 years' experience of production on both sides of the Atlantic, Willfred Noy makes some interesting comparisons between British and American studio conditions in an article in the *Kinema* magazine.

My first glimpse of Hollywood in 1923, he says, demonstrated unmistakably how far the Americans were ahead.

With over 20,000 theatres in their own country, and enormous foreign markets, they had been able to conceive the making of pictures upon a vastly wider scale, and to allow far greater expenditure on individual subjects. This fact had acted like a magnet to draw every conceivable type of man, were he prospective writer, director, cameraman, or technician, into the business and to grow up with it.

America thus developed an army of experts in all departments, and to draw upon as occasion required. I do not suggest that mere expenditure was the secret of America's success. A quite modest film as regards settings and size of cast is often a "best seller." But where the money must be spent is in a first-class personnel, from the highest executives down to the humblest assistant.

BRITISH ADVANCE.

When I returned to England I found an even greater revolution had taken place here. I was amazed at the advance of British pictures. What struck me even more forcibly was that many British studios were technically just as well equipped as those I had been working in on the other side.

But while there are plenty of fine studios to choose from in making a picture the question of personnel is a more difficult matter. There are first-rate men, of course, in all branches, but they are not so easy to lay one's hand on as in Hollywood where technical experts are more or less centred in one locality and can be reached easily and speedily.

Once assembled I found our British technicians a splendid working team: America could teach them nothing in keenness or enthusiasm. I look to the day when we shall have sufficient men trained to our own highest standard to turn out an average of pictures every bit as well made as anything produced elsewhere.

Surveying current British pictures I am convinced that the great need of British studios is to add to their fine equipment and skilled technicians a body of writers and directors able to develop this wonderful medium in a fashion still undreamed.

In stories, freshness of treatment and originality of ideas I believe the British Empire is even now ahead of all others.

But we must assist and encourage new writers for the screen. Not necessarily authors who have made their names in other fields and are possibly not adaptable to a new technique, but promising men who have not yet had their chance.

I should like to see also a little more vision in the choice of directors. Here I know there is a greater element of risk in employing fresh blood; but this is greatly reduced if an experienced associate producer is there, standing by to control and advise during the initial effort. Young enthusiasm united to solid experience is not a bad combination for successful progress.

HOLLYWOOD ROMANCE ENDS

Marjorie Crawford, film actress (no relation to Joan Crawford), has been granted a divorce at Los Angeles from her husband, "Danny" Dowling, the dancer.

The marriage of the couple four months ago was one of the most unexpected even in Hollywood, where unexpected things are a daily occurrence (says Reuter.)

Originally Dowling, who was

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IF YOUR SKIN IS DRY

A woman whose skin is abnormally dry needs our sympathy in cold weather. It is so difficult for her to avoid a weather-beaten appearance. When the wind is in the east she looks pinched and cold and old. Wrinkles make their appearance when she is quite young unless she takes great precautions, and the skin of her neck and hands tends to become shrivelled. Sometimes even her hair grows harsh and brittle too. The remedy is plenty of fat, taken internally and applied externally. She should eat a lot of butter and cream, if she can afford it, drink milk, eat eggs, and see that she has suet puddings and fat bacon and meat. A course of cod-liver oil will do her a great deal of good too. Then she must be very liberal with cold cream. Not only must she smear cold cream over her face, neck, hands and arms every night, but she should rub cold cream on her hands in the daytime after they have been in water, and use cold cream instead of a vanishing cream on her face before she goes out. It is an easy matter to wipe off the surplus with a soft tissue or old clean rag, and take away the shininess of the skin by dusting it well with powder. She should never venture out in cold weather without this protection of cream and powder. Sometimes cold cream is not enough, and almond oil or olive oil must be used to anoint the skin at night. Either of these oils when warmed is most valuable for massaging into the scalp with the tips of the fingers. It feeds the roots of the hair and takes away excessive dryness. Hard water is conducive to dryness of the skin, so if you want to keep your skin soft and unlined, and the water in your district is hard, you must soften it. Use bran when washing clothes or dishes, and let little bags of oatmeal or bran soften your bath water. Use rain water when you can.

dancing partner of Joan Crawford, was charged with kidnapping Marjorie Crawford. She said he had forcibly abducted her under threat of death, and she had escaped marrying him only by feigning illness. He said he had motored to Arizona with Marjorie Crawford to get married at her request. Then, in the middle of the proceedings, it was announced on May

COLOUR FILM COMING

KORDA'S LATEST ADVENTURE

The probability that film production in colour is very much more imminent than many people suppose is borne out by the latest news from Hollywood and Elstree.

In America, where the success of the short Technicolour picture, "La Cucaracha," has been one of the more notable events of the fall season, the list of projected colour features has recently been strengthened by the addition of Studio's "Becky Sharp," with Miriam Hopkins in the title role.

At home, British International Pictures plan to use colour sequences in their film, "Radio Romance of 1935," and Alexander Korda, the head of London Films, announces that as soon as his new studios open in April he will start production on a full-length colour picture, probably "Lawrence of Arabia." It is quite on the cards that he will also use colour for his projected film of the life of Nijinsky—a subject which seems to be ideally suited to the new medium.

PROCESS

The system adopted by London Film is a newly invented British process known as Hillman Colour-gravure, produced by the Gerrard Industries, and Mr. Korda is so much impressed by its possibilities for commercial film-making on a large scale that he has himself joined the Board of Directors. Hillman Colour-gravure is, I understand, a three-colour process which is relatively cheap to use, and will cost the producer very little more than ordinary monochrome photography. The subject is shot on one strip of film, and depends for its effect on the use of a small gadget attached to the ordinary cinema projector. This gadget may be purchased outright by the exhibitor for something between five and ten pounds, or hired along with the film.

The greatest difference between Colour-gravure and other colour systems, so far as the studio is concerned, is probably the fact that it requires only a negligible increase over the amount of lighting used in ordinary black-and-white photography. Hitherto the actors in colour films have had to work under conditions representing at least a 300 per cent. increase in the normal studio lighting, with the result that colour tones have faded, make-up has run, and the overheads have assumed almost fantastic proportions.

That the two had married. Eventually the charges against Dowling were dismissed.

NEW GROUSE AGAINST CINEMAS

Cinemas have been blamed for many things, but here is a new one.

They are responsible—or partly responsible, at least—for the fact that the people of Great Britain are eating fewer herrings, kippers, and blotters!

That is the opinion of fishmongers who blame the cinema, palaces de danse, modern flats and tinned foods. In other words, they say the blatter or kipper for tea has gone out of fashion because the modern housewife has not the patience to cook when she and her family want to rush off to the cinema. It is easier to open a tin.

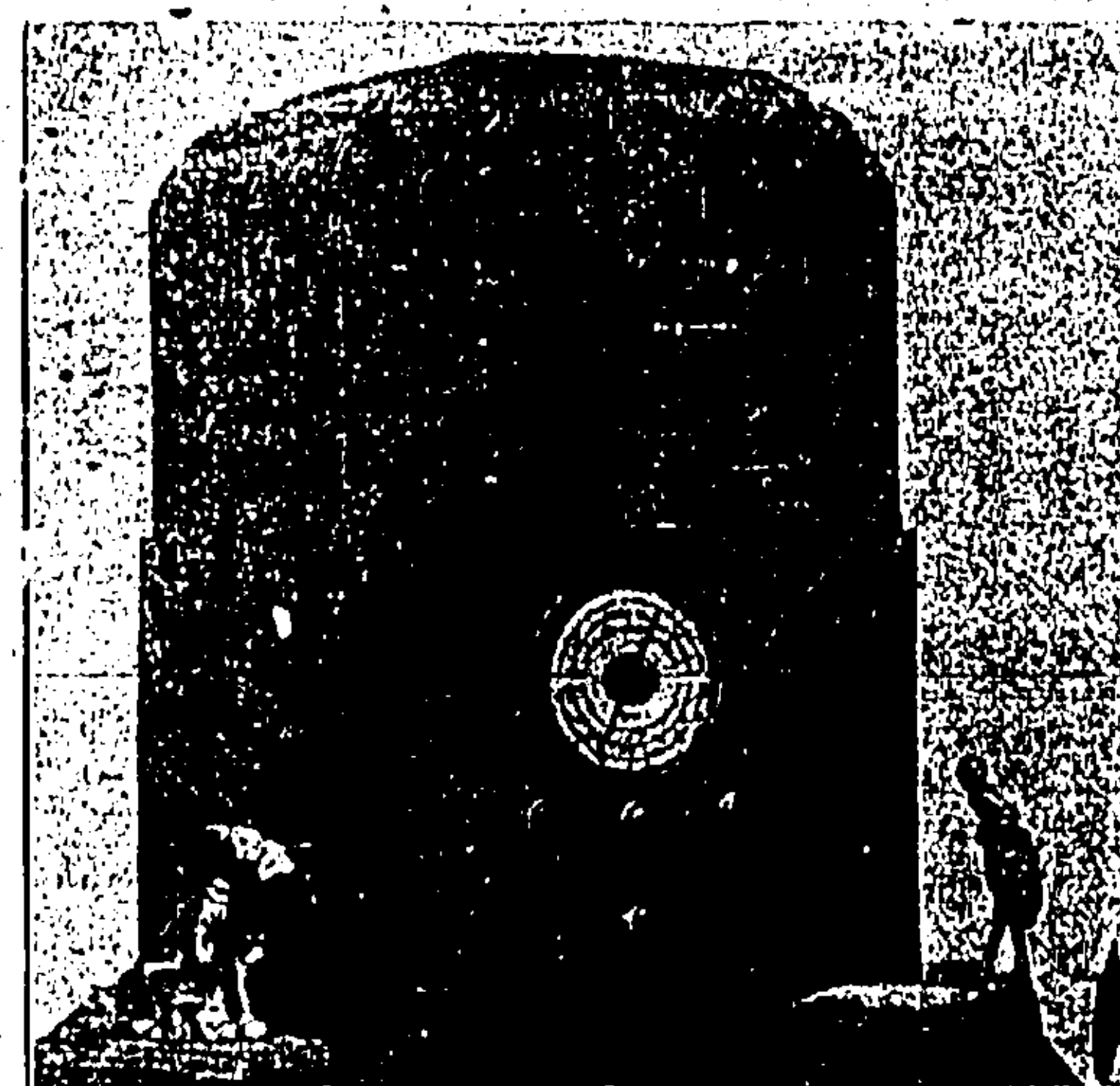
CLEMENCE DANE TO WRITE PLAY

Clemence Dane, the British novelist, has arrived in Hollywood.

She is under contract to write a screen play (says Reuter), and she expects it will be a screen version of Tolstoy's "Anna Karenina."

David Selznick will be the producer, and Greta Garbo the star.

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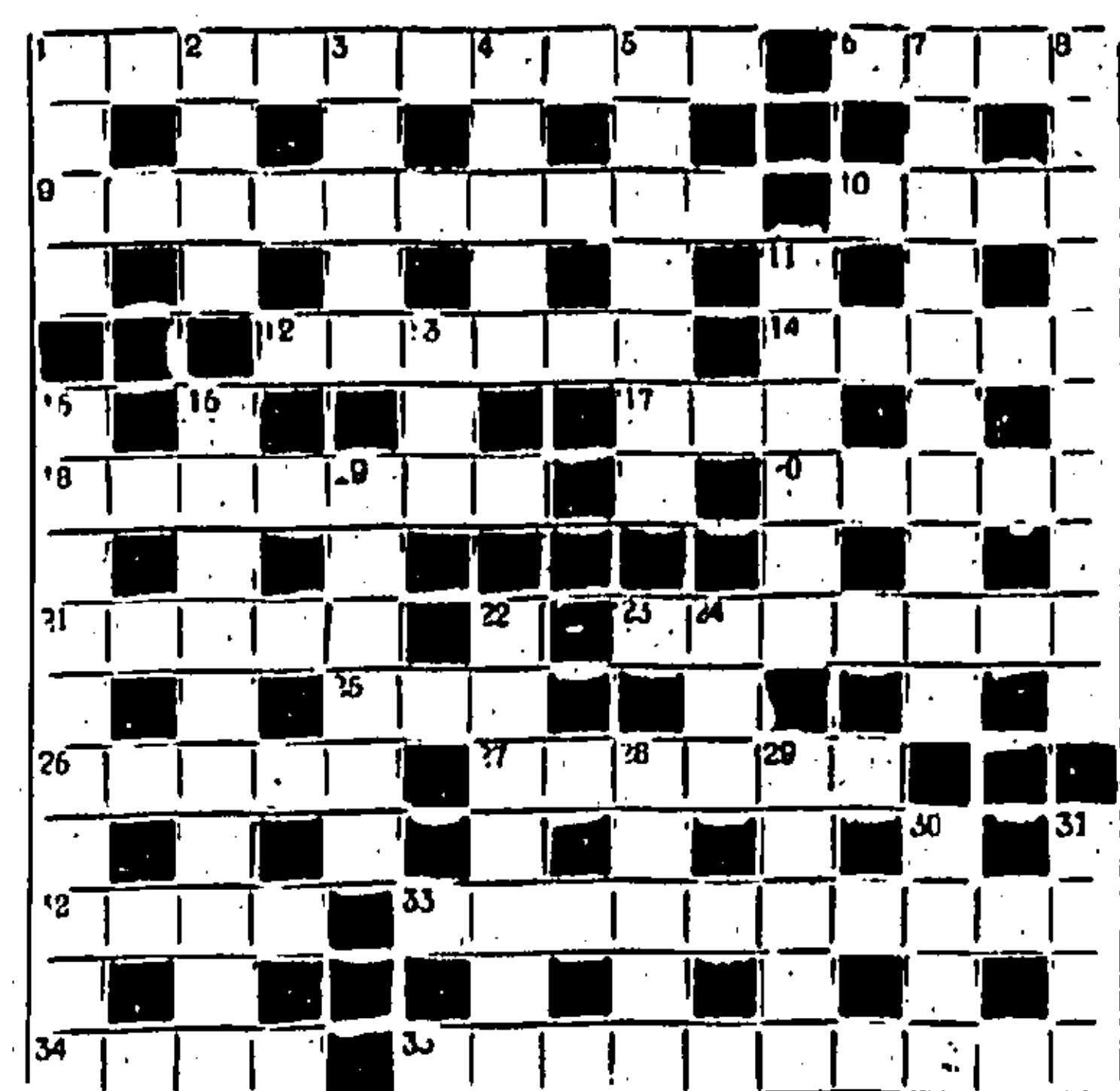
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- 10 American President.
- 12 Swung round.
- 14 He does instead.
- 17 Not all the earth.
- 18 A certain lady in her declining years is just ordinary.
- 20 Decree.
- 21 Upright, with a Mediterranean lile in sight.
- 23 The sort of cap you can wear indoors without impoliteness is made by an Irishman and possibly his girl.
- 25 During the late dry season, I have seen a man pouring it into a well.
- 26 This pillar is a pest.
- 27 Darwin's evolution.
- 32 Testing agent.
- 33 Applies to a loud-speaker.
- 34 Aces and ages.
- 35 Hasten suit. (Anagram.)

Down

- 1 The "Bard of Twickenham."
- 2 One quadruped has swallowed a letter and become another: the last part shows you how.
- 3 Fruit.
- 4 An ingredient of plain curry you have to fall into.
- 5 How Arundel has changed!
- 7 To argue skillfully but sensibly.
- 8 Fit reward for a very small

service. (Two words.)

- 11 African water-course.
- 13 Stood up for Columbus.
- 15 Cheap pens are obtainable here. (hyphen).
- 16 He can get along all right but it's surprising he can adapt himself to train speed.
- 19 Sounds suitable kit for motoring.
- 22 Gamble with over two thousand pounds in a Yorkshire town.
- 24 One of those Nevada girls.
- 28 Strapping, perhaps.
- 29 These birds can only move in four directions.
- 30 T.a.c.
- 31 Superfluous advice to the jumper-maker.

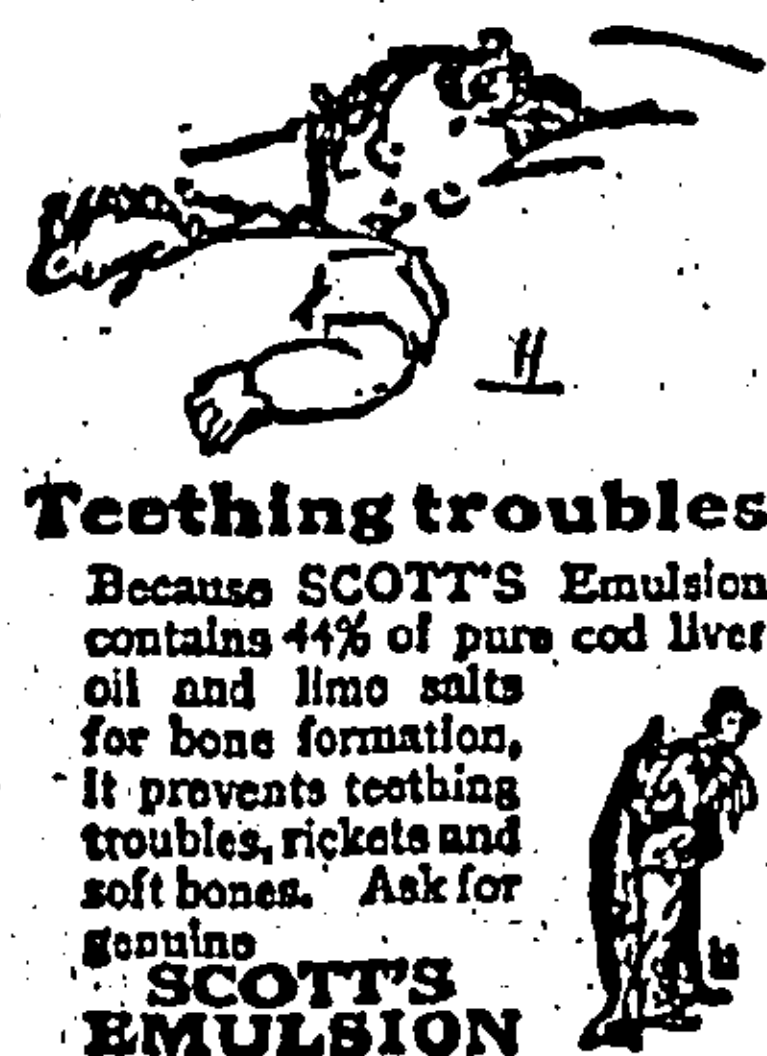
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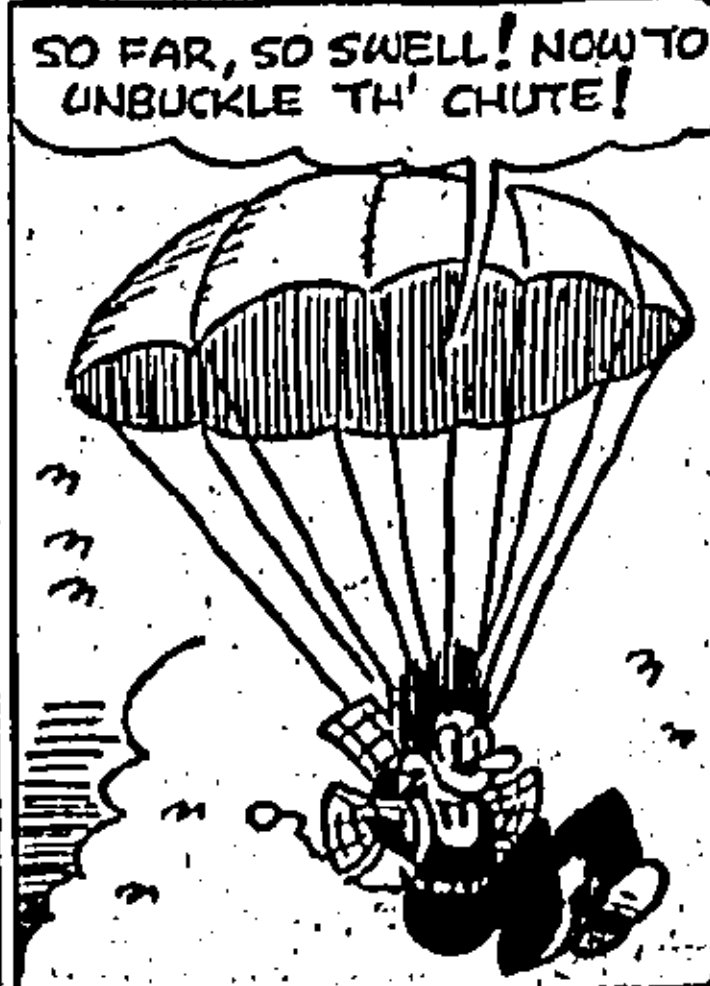
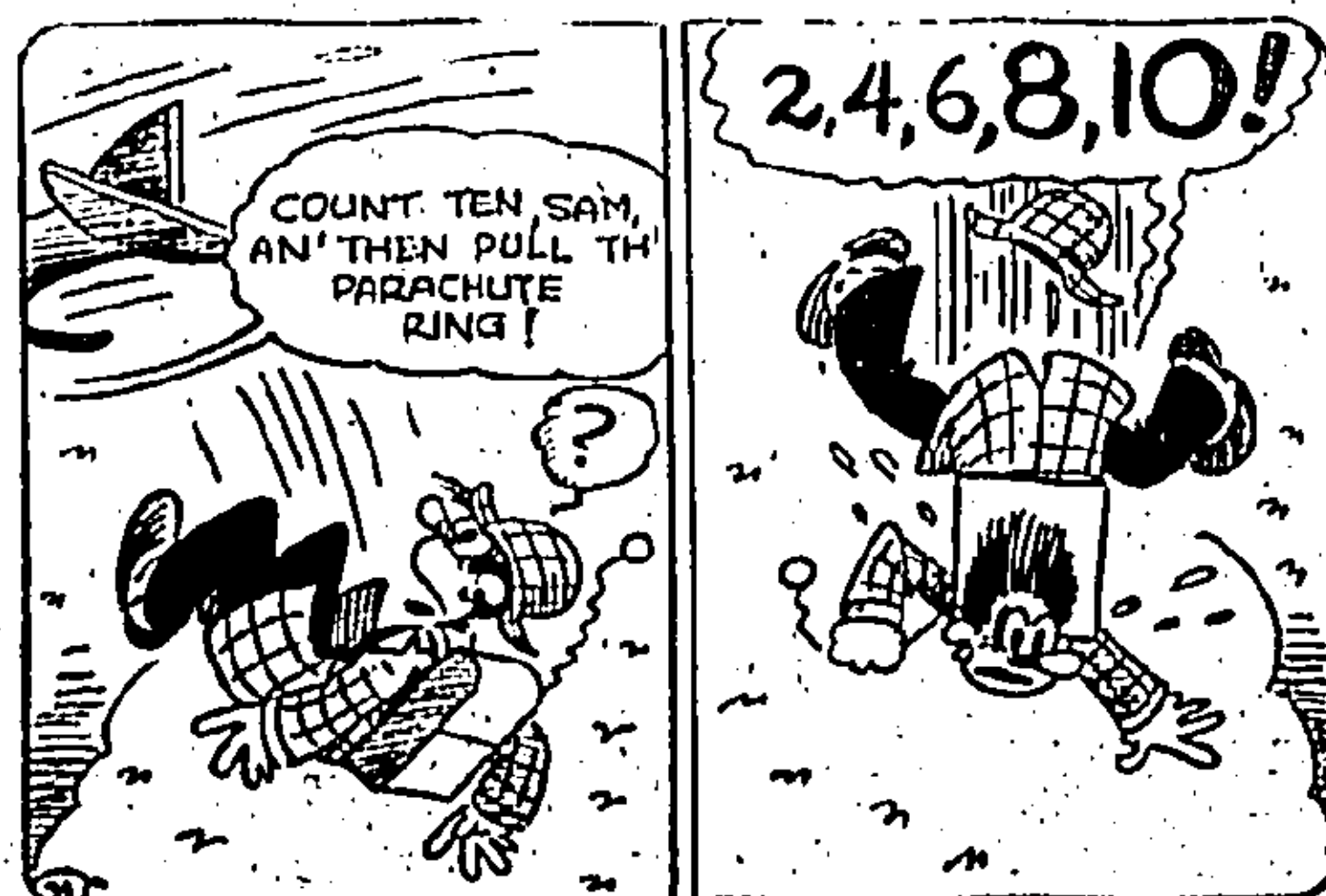
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END OF ENGLAND'S SLUMS IN SIGHT

GOVERNMENT SPEEDING PRODIGIOUS WORK

Although the country is right behind the Government and Sir Hilton Young, the Minister of Health, in their crusade to end slumdom, there have of late been instances, in the Press and on the platform, of uninformed and misleading criticism of the way adopted and the rate of progress which is being achieved.

The simple, irrefutable facts about what is being achieved, together with revealing figures, which Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry, was able to put forward on behalf of his chief, Sir Hilton Young (in the Minister's absence on a tour in the North of England), in a special interview with a representative of *The Observer* recently, will therefore be welcomed.

"One accusation," Mr. Shakespeare said, "is that because 12,000 houses have been built in eleven months our campaign has failed. As well say that because Ponsford and Brown have made only 40 runs in the first hour of a Test match, the most difficult period, the side cannot make 500 runs.

"We realised at the Ministry, when the National Government came in, that the slums were not being tackled. Between 1890 and 1932 only 20,000 slum houses had been demolished. Then, in 1933, we issued our great appeal to the local authorities to tackle their slum problems within five years. From the start the Minister realised that the problem could not be tackled effectively without a survey, and we appealed to the local authorities to survey their individual slum problems. There had been no drive behind Mr. Greenwood's survey in 1930, and it did not help us. For instance, whereas 76,000 houses were estimated in 1930 by 145 authorities to be slum houses in response to Mr. Greenwood's appeal, the same authorities gave to us a figure of 172,200.

RECONNAISSANCE

"We adopted the old military principle that time spent on reconnaissance is never wasted. The survey we made fully justified our expectations. The White Paper was issued in March, 1934, and the campaign really started last spring.

"The clearing of the slums must of necessity be a somewhat slow process, particularly in the first year. With your programme in front of you, and working as quickly as possible, it takes about a year for a local authority to deal with a particular area. Legal and administrative action under the machinery of the 1930 Act, even though it be speeded up, takes about a year, and nobody but a fool expected many houses to be built in the first year of our five-year plan. Actually more houses have been built in the first year than we anticipated.

"Our five-year programme is to demolish 281,417 houses, of which 67,000 will be dealt with as individual houses, and the balance as houses in slum clearances.

"In their place 299,072 houses, and to move from slum conditions 1,297,000 people.

FOUR STAGES

"There are four stages in the clearance of slums. There is the resolution passed by the council in respect of a clearance area, there is the order submitted by the council in respect of the area, there is confirmation of the order by ourselves after due inquiry into the state of the property and to see that justice is done to the owners, and, fourthly, there is approval for re-housing, the granting of which means that nothing can stand in the way of the required houses being built.

"The Ministry estimate that the intake per month must be about 3,500 houses in respect of each of these four processes. During the last six months the average has been well maintained, and, latterly, exceeded. For example, 27,000 houses have been built in the second stage (orders submitted) in the six months ended September 30—an average of 4,500 a month. So that the annual rate of the submission of orders is 54,000, more probably, because acceleration is occurring all the time. The acceleration has been nearly four-fold compared with a year ago, and the acceleration increases all the time.

"As regards re-housing, the final stage, in the six months ended September 30, 22,000 replacement houses were approved, which gives a rate, with no more acceleration, of 44,000 new houses. These figures show that in the second year of the campaign not fewer than 40,000 houses will be built, with the rate of building accelerating all the time, and the peak will not be reached until the third year, when the amount of houses built will be nearer 70,000.

MAINTAINING AVERAGE.

"Take another test. To maintain an average of 50,000 houses a year, on the assumption that a house takes between seven and nine months to build, at any one moment 30,000 houses must be under construction, to give 50,000 completed

EXPANSION OF INDUSTRY

ENORMOUS SOVIET MOTOR FACTORY

Moscow, Nov. 10.

The Soviet Government will have the largest factory in the world for the manufacture of motorcars in 1937, it is claimed here, if its present plans for the enlargement of the existing Stalin plant, formerly the Amo works, in Moscow, are realised.

The Stalin plant now covers 225 acres, but its area after the reconstruction already started will be 1,250 acres. Its output of 31,000 trucks and buses a year will be increased to 100,000 trucks, buses and passenger cars, and the personnel will expand from 25,000 to 70,000.—*United Press*.

60,000 ACRES BOUGHT FOR A FEW KNIVES

This, the copy sent to the Colonial Office, is written in a scholarly hand and begins in due form, "Be it known to all persons that we, Jaganaga Jaganaga Jaganaga, being the principal chieftains, and also Bungeegee Yanyan (... there are several others...), being the chiefs of a certain native tribe being possessed of the tract of land hereinafter mentioned, and in consideration of 20 pairs of Blankets, 30 tomahawks, 100 knives, 50 pairs of scissors, 200 handkerchiefs, 100 pounds of flour, 6 shirts, and

A copy of the Treaty by which John Batman bought from the Australian Aborigines 600,000 acres of what is now Victoria for a parcel of blankets and knives is at present on view in the Public Records Office. Though not the original, it is the chief document in an exhibition arranged in connection with the Melbourne centenary. It is accompanied by a map showing "the site for a township" very near the present site of Melbourne. Where the original is to be found is obscure, though it is, or was, in the British

Museum. Similar payments to be made in subsequent years, sell the tract hereinafter mentioned. The chieftains made their mark at the bottom of the paper. Three of them had the same name, but it is not quite clear whether they made the same mark. The copyist has rendered it in each case as three strokes slightly varied and concluding with a cipher; four marks for each chief. Were they recognised marks, or did the copyist stylise the path of an aimlessly wandering pen?

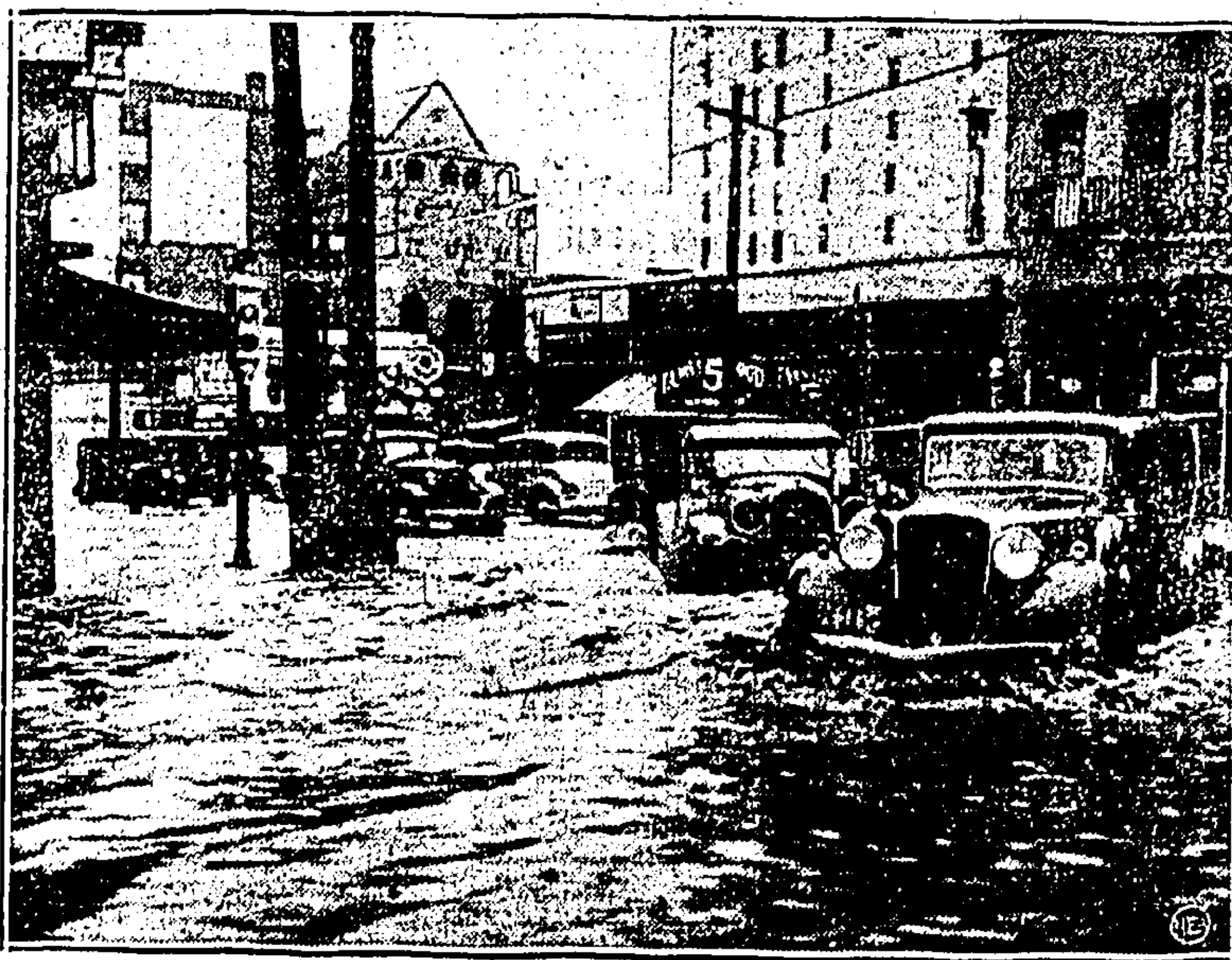
John Batman's treaty was sent to the Colonial Office in 1835. The treaty was not recognised by the New South Wales Government, and the real beginnings of Melbourne did not come till 1837. But 1934 is still an appropriate centenary year, for it is the anniversary of the forming of the Port Phillip Association which started in Tasmania and ended in the foundation of a capital city.

Alongside John Batman's documents we are shown a map of one of the first journeys into Victoria. The explorers were a certain W. H.

EXPLORING AFRICA

An expedition has left Budapest under the leadership of Dr. Laszlo Benda, with the object of exploring unknown ground in north-east Africa. From Tripoli the expedition will travel to the mountain Tibesti, and then to Lake Tsad, where it is hoped that the problem of this lake's connection with the Bahr el Jebel may be solved.

Hovell and Hamilton Hume, who set off in 1824 from Lake George, New South Wales. Their map is like a wedge thrust into unknown country. They began by crossing mountains and then met a river which, says the map, is a hundred yards wide. So they crossed over and called it after Hume. They found at first rich alluvial plains and promising land. Then mountains cross their path. They are a long way from Lake George now and tired. They call it Disappointment Range. Mountains in front, impenetrable jungle on the flank, but they get through somehow and reach "Port Phillip" called by the native Jillong. They ended their journey at the sea and, had they but known it, by the site of what was to be the capital of the new continent.



Flood, tornado, and earthquake combined in an assault on Los Angeles and suburbs to leave death and wreckage behind. This picture shows the torrent raging through a city street, with water up to automobile hubcaps. Six died, and others are still missing; a ship was sunk; houses unroofed; and heavy loss caused by the flood waters in business buildings.



The above photographs were taken at the Cenotaph in Shanghai when Shanghai paid tribute to the heroes of the Great War. Upper left shows a group of British Naval Officers standing in front of the Memorial, while the picture on the upper right shows the officers marching away from the Shanghai Club carrying tributes to lay at the base of Memorial. At lower left are to be seen representatives of various civic bodies and organisations standing with floral tributes at the foot of the Memorial, while on the lower right is Brigadier General E. B. Macnaghten, C.M.G., delivering his impressive Remembrance Day address. Centre is a view of the War Memorial, with the crowd in the foreground.



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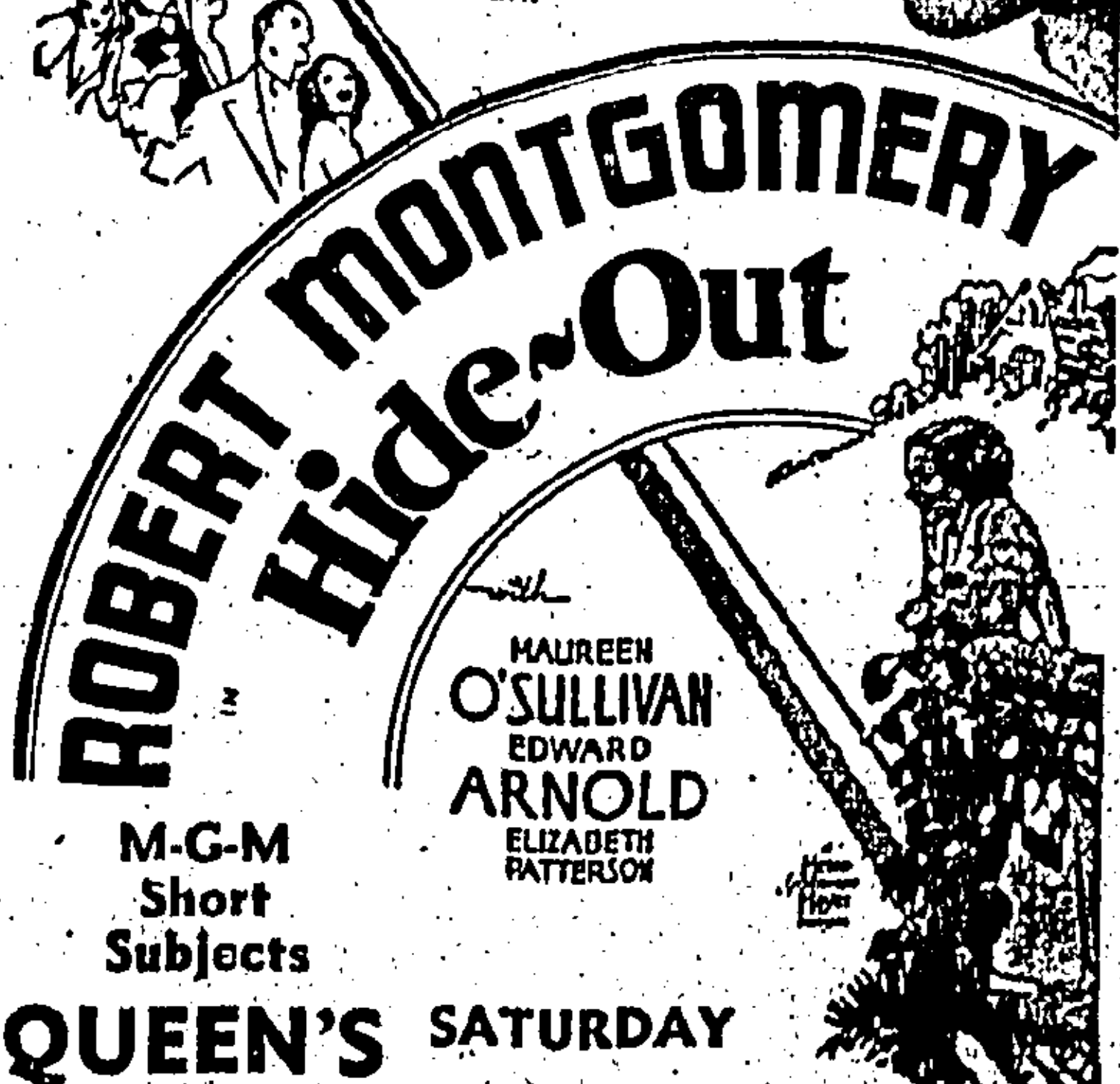
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All claims must be sent to the undersigned before Wednesday, 28th November, 1934, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the consignees, and the Company's Surveyor Messrs. Goldard and Douglas at 10.00 a.m. on Friday, the 23rd November, 1934. Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Co.'s Surveyors.

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R. OHL, Agent

Hongkong, 18th November, 1934.

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COLONY'S DEFENCES TESTED BY "HOSTILE" PLANE

The Colony's defences against air raids were tested last night, when searchlights and sound detectors at strategic points were brought into play to locate an aeroplane of the Far East Aviation Company, acting as the enemy.

Flight Lieutenant W. T. Murray, of the Far East Aviation Company was the pilot of the Avro Cadet machine used, and although he was compelled by the heavy clouds to fly low to make the experiment successful, the general result was entirely satisfactory.

At 7 p.m. the No. 10. typhoon signal was sounded, three maroons being discharged from the Naval Dockyard and rockets being fired from the Peak, to announce the commencement of the raid. Street lamps and conspicuous lights were extinguished and the island and mainland were plunged into darkness except for house and ship lights and the occasional appearance of the moon.

The police reserve were called out on special duty to help control traffic during the ensuing hour.

The invader first made his appearance from the east and was quickly picked up at Lyceum Pass and held by the searchlights until he made off to the west.

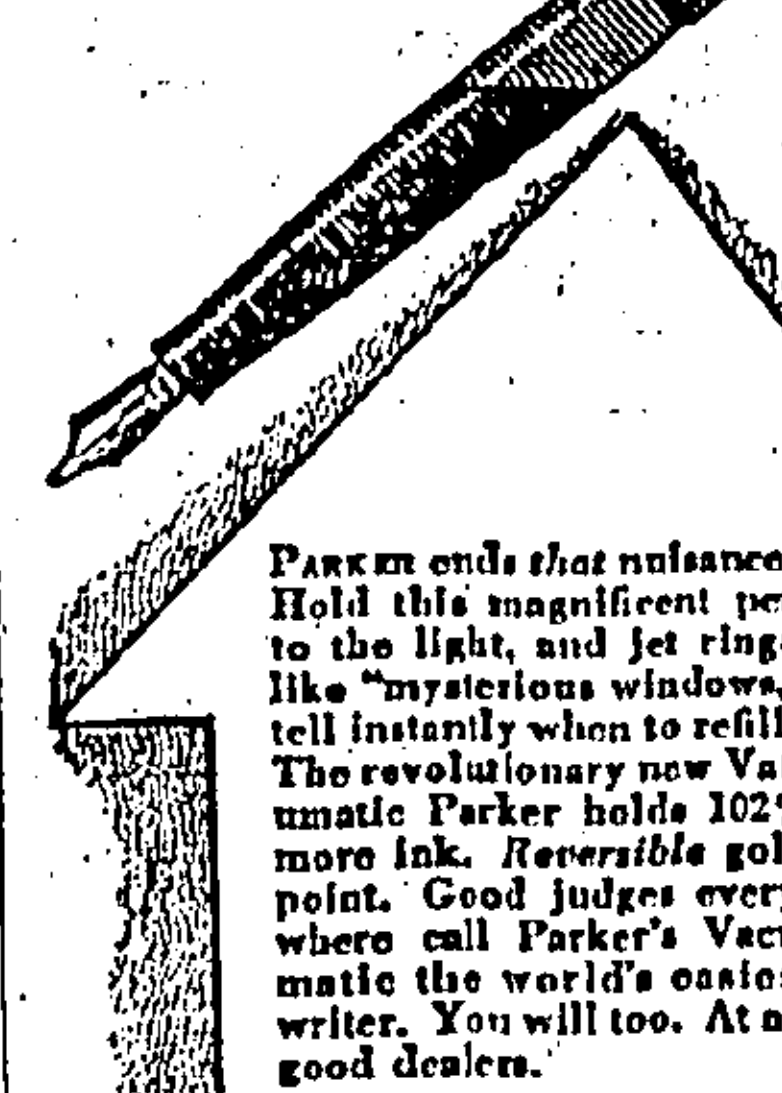
Attacking from the south, the plane was again located against a bank of clouds, and powerful beams radiating from Mount Austin Barracks, the Naval Yard, East Point and Stonecutters kept it in view.

Several more approaches were made from different directions. After the flight, the pilot spoke of the smartness with which he was picked up and said he had no chance of evading observation. The experiment was a very successful one and would probably be repeated later in the week.

Capt. Foley of the Royal Engineers was in charge of the operations and among the interested spectators was Squadron Commander Tang Chi-hau, who with air force officials of the Canton Government had made a special trip to witness the sham raid.

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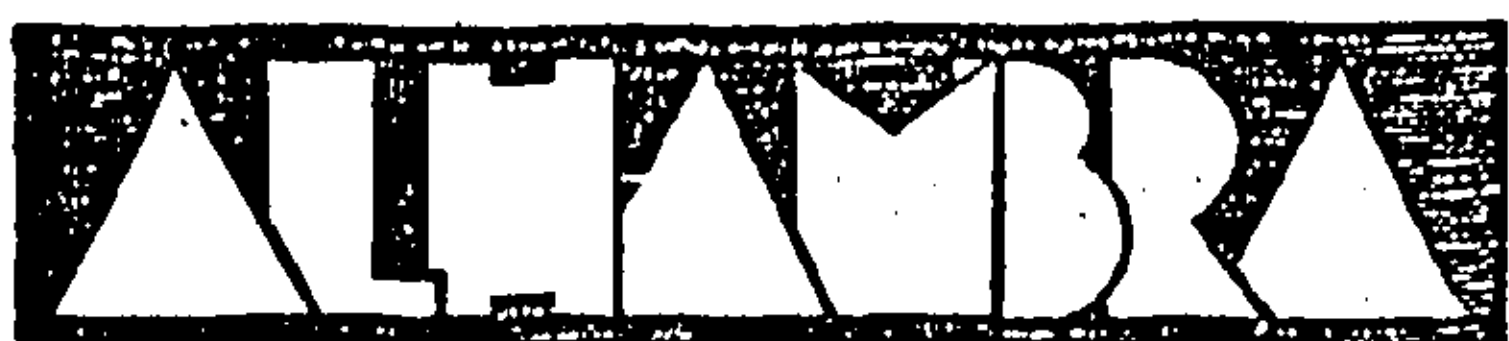
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LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the
London Stock Exchange have been
received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson
and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.
British Government Securities.
Nov. 19, Nov. 20.

War Loan 3 1/4%
redm. after 1952 £107 3/4 £107 1/4

Chinese Bonds.

4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Inv.)	£102 1/4	£102 1/4
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 97 1/4	£ 98
5% Loan 1912	£ 82	£ 82
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Inv.)	£ 98 1/4	£ 98 1/4
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 95 1/4	£ 96 1/4
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 70 1/4	£ 70 1/4
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 26	£ 26
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 21	£ 21
5% Shai-Nanking Ningpo Rly.	£100 1/4	£100 1/4
5% Honan Rly.	£ 25	£ 25
5% Hukwang Rly. 1911	£ 41 1/4	£ 41 1/4
5% Lung Tsing U. Hail Rly. 1913	£ 15 1/4	£ 15 1/4

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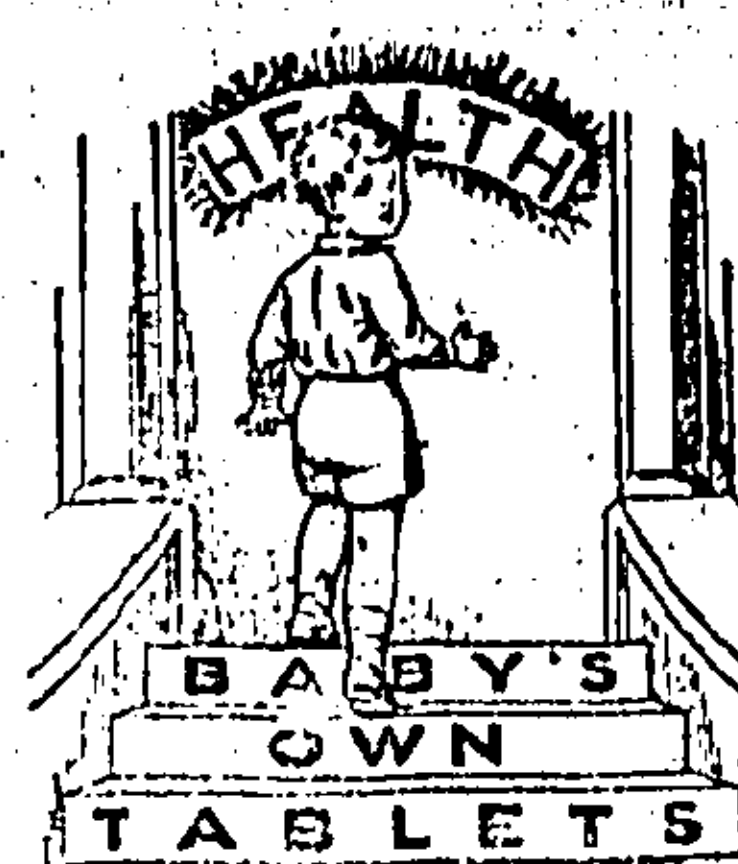
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	£ 59	£ 57 1/4
City of Osaka 5% Sterling Loan 1939	£ 90 1/4	£ 90 1/4
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 93	£ 92 1/4
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£134 1/4	£135 1/4
Chartd. Bk. £5 sh.	£ 16	£ 16

Industries and Breweries.

Associated Elec. Industries	24/-	24/3
British-Am. Tob. (Bearer)	131/3	129/4 1/2
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer)	20/-	19/6
Tate & Lyle	100/0	100/0
Courtauld	49/0	49/3
Distillers	95/0	95/-
Dunlop Rubber	59/0	59/4 1/2
Everready 6/- sh.	25/10 1/2	25/10 1/2
General Electric (England)	40/3	40/3
Boots 5/- sh.	47/0	47/6
Impl. Chem. Ind.	37/6	37/3
Impl. Chem. Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	9/3	9/3
Impl. Tobacco	138/6	138/3
Woolworths 5/- sh.	104/6	103/6
Internat. Nickel Co. par val	\$ 23 3/4	\$ 22 3/4
Pinefin Johnson 10/- sh.	44/-	44/-
Turner & Newall	59/0	59/6
Unilever	25/-	25/-

Miscellaneous.

Anglo-Dutch	22/1 1/2	22/1 1/2
Burma Corp. Rs.	11/7 1/2	11/9
Austin Motors ord. sh.	38/-	39/6
Chartd. 15/- sh. (Bearer)	20/3	20/3
Gula Kulumpong Rubber	17/-	17/-
Tronca mines 5/- sh.	8/6	8/6
Langlangie Estates	32/6	33/6
London Tin 10/- sh.	10/9	10/9
Pekin Synd 2/- ord. sh.	1/0	1/9



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	Buyers	Sellers
Alor Gajah	\$1.05	\$1.00
Ayer Panas	1.80	1.85
Ayer Molek	1.05	1.15
Brugas	.90	.95
Changkat Serdang	5.40	6.75
Glencalya	2.10	2.17 1/2
Kuala Selam	2.40	2.55
Malaka Pindas	1.00	1.05
Palang	2.10	2.15
Telok Anson	1.32 1/2	1.50
Tapan	2.10	2.15
U'd Malacca	1.80	1.87 1/2

Rubber Trusts	29/1 1/2	29/1 1/2
Shai Elec. Constr.	53/-	53/-
Van Kyn Deep	65/-	65/-
Electric Musical Industries	31/-	31/-

	Oils.
Anglo-Persian	43/1 1/2 43/0
Burma Oil	75/7 1/2 75/7 1/2
Southern Railway (Deferred)	£ 24 £ 23 3/4
Rolls Royce £1 sh.	109/- 109/9
Shell Trans and Trad. (Bearer)	42/6 44/4 1/2
Goldenhills	28/0 28/0
Crown Mines 10/- sh.	258/0 257/6

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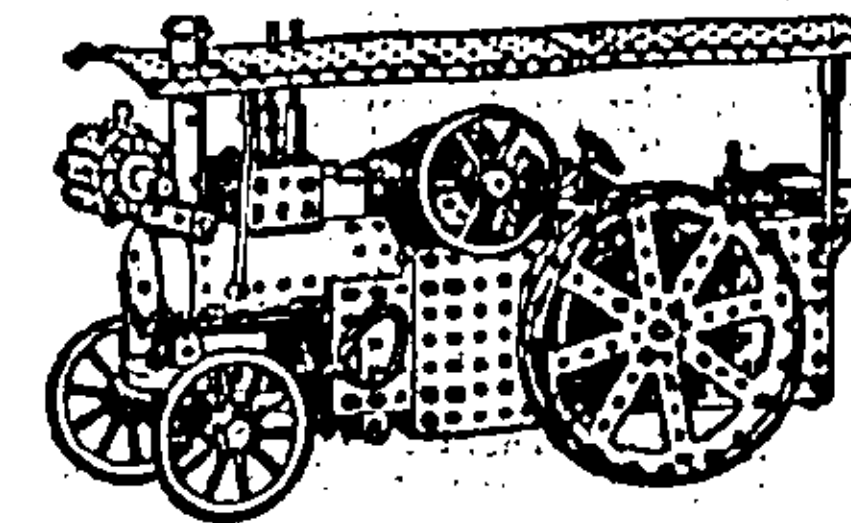
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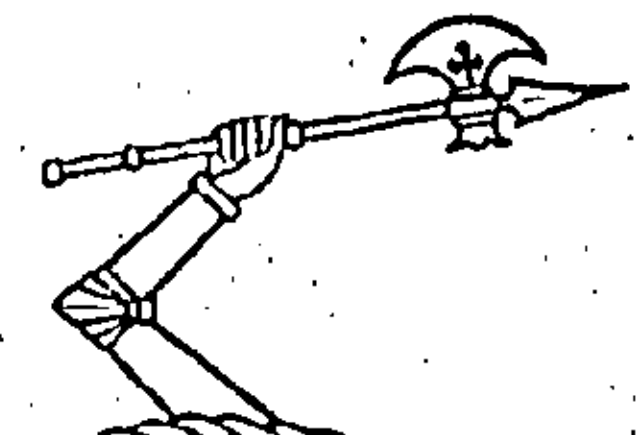


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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 21, 1934.

PIGS AND POULTRY

A concise but essentially constructive report has been issued by the Committee appointed to advise on practical steps for improving and extending the breeding of pigs and poultry in the New Territories. Two most desirable purposes will be served if the recommendations made are followed by appropriate action. In the first place, two industries of real value will be developed, to the manifest advantage both of those engaging in them and the consuming public; and, secondly, this Colony will be placed on a more self-supporting basis in the supply of the necessities of life. The extent to which we are dependent on outside sources is shown by the fact that some 350,000 pigs, valued at ten million dollars, are imported every year, whilst three million dollars' worth of live poultry and about two million dollars' worth of eggs are brought in every year. The production for purposes of local consumption is only an infinitesimal percentage of these figures. It is obvious, therefore, that there is ample scope for the development of both industries. At the present time, the breeding both of pigs and poultry in the New Territories is carried out on most haphazard lines, with little, if any, organised method. Apart from the innate conservatism of the breeders, poverty is the main factor in hindering development. In the case of pig-breeding, long before the animals are ready for slaughter they pass through numerous hands, each raking off a little profit, simply because the original breeders have not the wherewithal to keep them for fattening and are consequently forced to sell in order to raise a little ready money. There is thus great need, if what should be a paying industry is to be properly developed, of some scheme of credit facilities being devised in their interests. Similar considerations apply in the case of poultry, and, in both industries there is need for more scientific methods both in breeding and in the battle against disease. The Committee recommends a modest beginning in plans for improving the position, starting with the appointment of an expert in husbandry and later leading to the creation of a small Farm Board which would co-ordinate the agricultural activities of the Colony. Such a step,

NOTES OF THE DAY

THRIVING BUSINESS

Everyone knows that thousands of dollars, bags and boxes full of Chinese silver, are being smuggled out of China daily. According to a most reliable source this Chinese silver money is pouring into Hongkong in a steady stream, at the rate of approximately \$1,000,000 a day. The theory is that it is re-exported, either to England or America. The reason for this flight of Chinese silver is obvious. The value of the metal in the dollar is greater than the value of the dollar itself, due to the fact that China has succeeded in preventing an advance in the value of her currency in proportion to the price rise of the metal. China placed an embargo on silver exports. Hence the activity of certain "merchants" who smuggle coins out of Chinese seaports. As long as this price discrepancy remains, so long will the drain on China's silver resources continue. And unless something is done to check the smuggling the situation will become increasingly embarrassing. It may even be dangerous. The supply of Chinese silver is not inexhaustible.

GERMANY'S ROAD

There is a suggestion, according to cable reports, that all is not well with the Nazi regime in Germany. There are mutterings among the Storm Troopers. Apparently they are incensed by certain restrictions placed upon them by Herr Goebbels, the Minister of Propaganda, and against General Goering, the Premier of Prussia, who is alleged to have been responsible for much of the "blood-letting" in the party last June. At the same time, there are alarmist reports published in Paris that the German army of 1935 will muster five and a half million men within a few days of mobilisation, that the armaments factories are speeding up their output and that a powerful air force can be put into action at a moment's notice. Then, too, there is the problem of the Saar, a potential menace to the peace of Europe, to boot the Hitler administration. It is a hard road the Third Reich travels, and the responsibility of his office must weigh heavily upon Herr Hitler. There are many who doubt this man's ability. But if he succeeds in overcoming the trouble within and if he avoids a clash beyond the German frontier during his tenure of office, he will be worthy of acclaim. Even though he fails to do these things it will be no proof that Hitler's genius is not genuine. The world should judge a man by what he tries to do, and the world is watching Hitler.

HITLER'S MISTAKE

It begins to look as if Herr Hitler made one of the major mistakes of his career in seeking to extend his influence to the pulpits of German churches, however. A man's political beliefs can be changed or silenced; his feelings on economic and social problems can be overridden or disregarded; but when you begin trying to coerce him in the field of religion, you are apt to stir up a great deal more trouble than you can handle. The German people accepted most of Herr Hitler's innovations docilely enough, but his interference in church matters has brought him nothing but criticism and defiance. What sort of omen all this may be for the future of Nazi rule is a question no man can answer just now. It is a safe guess, however, that the dictator would be very glad to find some way of dropping this issue—since it turned out to be so much "hotter" than he had expected.

coupled with the suggested improved means of communication by linking up outlying villages with the main roads, should greatly assist the attainment of the ends in view. Something has already been done in recent years, thanks to the advent of motor transport and schemes sponsored by the New Territories Agricultural Association, to improve marketing facilities, but much more is still possible in this direction. Bearing in mind the extent of the demand locally for pigs, poultry and eggs, it is self-evident that there is a huge market at the very doors of the New Territories breeder. If only he can be induced to adopt modern methods and is assured of some measure of financial assistance. The first necessity is to secure the services of an expert adviser on the subject, and, once he is engaged, the whole question can be explored in all its aspects and appropriate steps taken to meet local needs. The Government's sympathy with the project seems assured, and it is therefore to be expected that the Committee's proposals will be put into effect without undue delay.

GIANT AIRCRAFT TO SPAN PACIFIC

By A. EDDY

It was announced on Monday in the *Hongkong Telegraph* that Pan-American Airways would shortly send a giant Sikorsky flying boat across the Pacific as an experiment in connection with the proposed trans-Pacific air mail passenger service. It is believed that the big machine will take off from Los Angeles for Hongkong early in the New Year.

The Brazilian Clipper, which is scheduled to visit Hongkong in the beginning of next year, a few weeks ago completed one of the most significant commercial flights in the history of aviation, flying from Miami, Florida, to Buenos Aires in five days, clipping two days from the fastest travel time between Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro and the United States.

The inaugural flight of the Brazilian Clipper to Buenos Aires was in the nature of a trade mission in order to improve inter-American relations for the mutual commercial advancement of the United States and Latin America, and its nineteen passengers included Mr. Eugene Vidal, Director of Air Commerce of the United States, representing the U.S. Government, Mr. Roy Howard, Chairman of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, and executives of the *United Press*, *Associated Press*, *Hearst papers*, *Chicago American*, *Baltimore Sun*, *North American Newspaper Alliance*, and Mr. J. T. Trippe, President and General Manager of the Pan-American Airways, and others.

The city of Rio de Janeiro and the people of Brazil exhibited unusual interest in the great Clipper, and the Presidents of both Brazil and Uruguay attended the colourful ceremonies the following day when Senhora Vargas, wife of the President of Brazil, formally baptized the aerial giant and dedicated the great ship to the service of humanity and welfare of the Americas. Describing the significance of the maiden flight of the Brazilian Clipper and likening its present flight, and its trade significance to the early trips of the glorious old time sailing "clippers," Mr. Trippe expressed his deep appreciation for the support the Brazilian Government has given to the development of international air service and renewed the Pan-American pledge of unceasing effort toward the furtherance of friendly ties and commercial relations between the American nations.

A demonstration unparalleled in enthusiasm greeted the Clipper in B.A., as Buenos Aires is familiarly called. An official holiday was declared and all business suspended in order to enable the gay South American city to welcome the flying

boat. The party was immediately swept into a programme of official entertainment which included a reception by the President of Argentina, Sr. Justo, at Government House, and a banquet at which Captain Marcos Zar, Director of Naval Aviation of Argentina was host, at the American Club.

After two days spent in Argentina, the Brazilian Clipper started on its return flight to the North American continent after a visit which, the Argentine press had stated, far surpassed in positive results all the "good-will" missions of recent years between the United States and Argentina. The Brazilian Clipper reached Miami on the fifth day after leaving Buenos Aires and covering the distance of 1,900 miles between the South American and North American continents in 12 hours, thus enabling the passengers who were in Port of Spain, (Trinidad, British territory) on Thursday, to breakfast in New York on Friday.

Despite the restricted transport conditions under which the flight was made, the Brazilian Clipper accomplished the approximate 7,500 miles southward run in 55 hours, and the northward run in 47 hours flying time, the entire journey of approximately 15,000 miles occupying 15 days with two days stop in Rio and B.A. For the entire flight an average speed of 155 miles was maintained against wind conditions which were for the most part unfavourable.

Before the Brazilian Clipper had undertaken the South America flight it shattered all existing world records for transport seaplanes which were previously held in Europe, when she carried some time in August last, a full transport load and flew 1,242 miles non-stop at an average speed of 157.5 miles per hour, on its final acceptance test at the Sikorsky factory in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

The above account is the gist of a report describing the B.A. flight of the Brazilian Clipper, in the last issue of the *Pan-American Airways Magazine*.

Since its inception in 1928 up to July 31, 1934, the planes of the Pan-American Airways carried 307,995 passengers and almost 17 million pounds of mail and cargo and there is no doubt that Hongkong, figuring in the Trans-Pacific Airway System as the Gateway to China, a country occupying one twelfth of the surface of the globe and harbouring within its confines more than one fifth of the entire human race, is destined to derive incalculable benefits as one of the most important airports of the world.



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BLUE WOMEN
By George

NOW is the time for all of us to contribute something new and useful for the New Year and, so that nobody can say we didn't think of it first, we are going to advocate police women for Hongkong.

Say what you like about it, the idea is a good one. The first time we met one of these blue coated Circes in Piccadilly we fell for her.

There's something peculiarly solid and domestic about 13 stones of female in goshes flicking gracefully at the precocious pedestrian with her truncheon as she surges along.

We already have our Eva—what about our Eve?

We ourselves can imagine nothing nicer than being arrested at midnight by one of these graceful girls and sinking dreamily into her safe custody.

Of course she might take us to the station—what a coll!

But we are convinced that many a romantic heart beats beneath the cheap serge affected by these bobby-haired, red-lipped vamps and that a large gosh would forsake the straight and narrow for love's rosy path.

As Lord Trenchard said to the female recruit: Life is not a bed of roses. Get your man—even if you have to arrest him.

We spoke to one policewoman before coming out East. She was holding up a quarter of a mile of traffic off Tottenham Court Road while she powdered her nose. A few buses crept by every time she changed hands but we calculated on ten minutes or so before our bus would be able to get by.

"Can you tell us the way to the British Museum?" we asked in Cantonese Cockney.

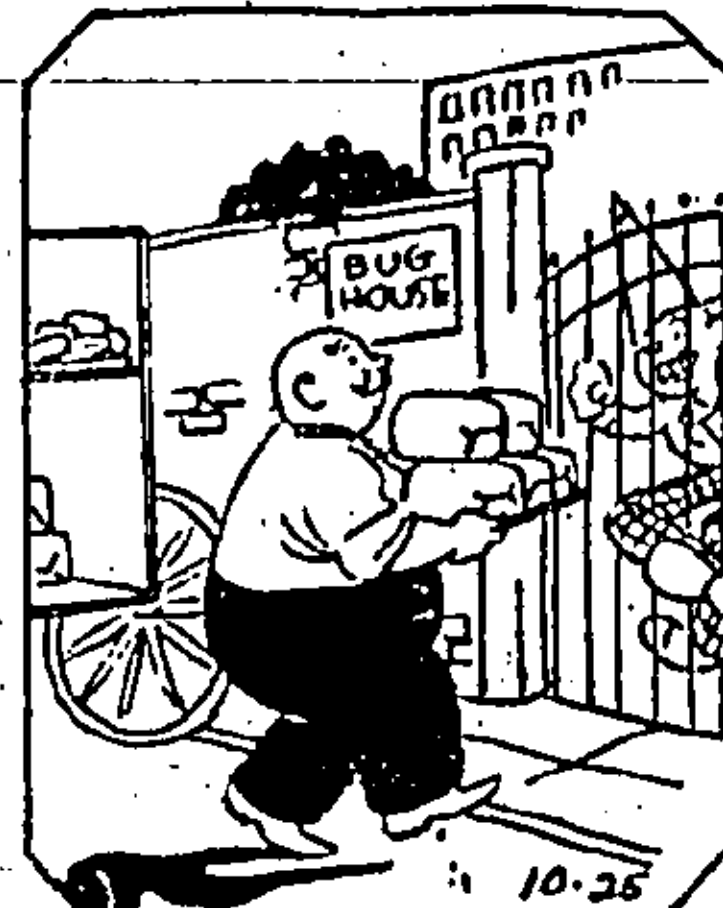
"Never heard of it," she replied blandly and changed hands. A couple of cars crept by before she realised her error.

"Don't you get tired of holding up traffic all day?" we asked ingratiatingly.

"I'd get more tired of holding a baby," she replied with a gesture of dismissal which afforded escape to a lorry and brought our bus five minutes nearer.

She turned the blue eye of the law on us and whispered thickly, "If you think you can make a fool of me you're mistaken. You're holding me up now. Get along!" There was nothing else for it so we tickled her under the arms till our bus got alongside and jumped in.

DUMB-BELLES LETTRES
By Juliet Lowell



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Yours truly,
Sam Can.
(signed)

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Elsie Watt
(signed)

CLOSE CONTROL OF
FOOD SUPPLYCHINA GUARDING
AGAINST FAMINE

Nanking, Nov. 20. With a view to regulating food supply throughout the country, and thus removing to some extent the danger of famine, the Nanking Financial Ministry has decided to create a special bureau in the Ministry which will be entrusted with the duties of facilitating the marketing and transportation of food supplies in various provinces. If found necessary, branch offices will be established at important centres in various provinces in order to facilitate its work.—*Central News.*

BRITISH FINANCES

LATEST EXCHEQUER
FIGURES

London, Nov. 20. Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing revenue amounted to November 17 to £558,378,414, which is £2,275,150 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure for the same period, exclusive of self-balancing items, was £431,824,236, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date of last year by £9,859,938.—*British Wireless.*

FIVE MOTOR
VESSELSHARLAND & WOLFF
GET ORDERS

London, Nov. 20. It is stated that Messrs. Harland and Wolff, of Belfast, have secured contracts for five motor vessels.

Three of these, of 10,760 tons, are for the Blue Line New Zealand services, and two of 13,000 tons are for the Union Castle lines' intermediate service to South Africa.—*British Wireless.*

NEW PRESIDENT OF
LEAGUE ASSEMBLY

(Special to "Telegraph")

Geneva, Nov. 20. The League of Nations Assembly today elected the Mexican delegate, Senor Najera, President of that body.—*United Press.*

CULTURAL SOCIETY

Nanking, Nov. 20. A meeting presided over by Mr. Hsu Pei-hung, well-known Chinese artist, was held this evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the establishment of a Sino-Italian Cultural Society along similar lines to the Sino-British Cultural Society. The texts of telegrams setting out the objects of this society, one addressed to Signor Mussolini and the other addressed to Mr. Liu Wen-tao, Chinese Ambassador to Rome, were read at the meeting.—*Central News.*

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—*Konan Maru, Alda, Kausner, Tjilbeck, Engle, Etha Rickmers, Tamara, Paal Doumer, Jenny Moller, Chok-sang, Allipore, Jeypore, Trilochow, Borneo Maru, Kinkushow, Albertic, Hydrangea, Empress of Asia, Toba Maru, Hanyang, President Lincoln, Anhui, Sargodon.*

Messrs. S. O. Leung, T. W. Ho, and M. S. Lam, respectively, won the first, second and third places in the senior member group, and Messrs. Y. C. Fu, M. S. Yeung, and H. F. Hung captured the first, second and third prizes of the junior member group in the recent "Picnic Photographic Competition" conducted by the Chinese Y.M.C.A. confined to members. Those who joined in the competitions were accompanied by the judges, Messrs. B. B. Tan, C. L. Chow and C. W. Chang (A.R.P.S.) on a picnic. The competitors were told by the judges that objects to photograph, but were allowed to take them from any angle they chose. The pictures were then graded and marks given according to merit.

The Aw Par Hospital at Cheung-hau is to be opened by Mrs. Borrett, the wife of His Excellency the G. D. C. Major General O. C. Borrett, at 3.15 p.m. to-day. The hospital is to bear the name of the donor, Mr. W. Boon-hay, the millionaire philanthropist, and his brother, Mr. Aw-foon-par. Special launches will leave the regular Cheung-hau Ferry leaves the Cheung-hau Wharf at 2 p.m. and returns from the island at 4 p.m.

At the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home last night, at 8.30 p.m., Professor G. A. E. Eriola is to give a lecture on "Changes of Nature in Hongkong."



Bridal group taken after the wedding yesterday of Miss Phoebe Kotwall and Mr. W. A. Hung. (Photo: A. Fong.)

U.S. COMMODITY
PRICESLATEST CABLED
QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton.		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	12.28	12.27-12.27
January	12.32	12.31-12.31
March	12.38	12.38-12.38
May	12.30	12.37-12.37
July	12.33	12.32-12.33
October (1935)	12.05	12.02-12.02
Spot	12.55	12.55

New York Rubber		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	12.78	12.71-12.72
January	12.90	12.79-12.82
March	13.07	13.01-13.01
May	13.28	13.21-13.23
July	13.41	13.42-13.42
September	13.66	13.63-13.63
Total sales	778 lots	

Chicago Wheat		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	99 1/4	99 1/4-99 1/4
May	97 1/2	97 1/2-97 1/2
July	94	92 1/2-94 1/2
Monday's sales	15,462,000 bushels	

Chicago Corn		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	85 1/2	85 1/2-85 1/2
May	84 1/2	84 1/2-84 1/2
July	84 1/2	82 1/2-84 1/2
Total sales	15,508,000 bushels	

Winnipeg Wheat		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	76 1/2	77 1/2-77 1/2
May	83 1/2	82 1/2-83 1/2
July	84	81 1/2-83 1/2
Total sales	3,000 tons	

New York Sugar		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	1.86	1.84-1.84
March	1.80	1.78-1.79
May	1.84	1.82-1.83
July	1.89	1.87-1.88
Total sales	140 lots	

New York Silk		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	1.19 1/2	1.20 1/2-1.21
March	1.21 1/2	1.22 1/2-1.23
May	1.22 1/2	1.22 1/2-1.23
Total sales	140 lots	

Montreal Silver		
	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Close		Range
December	53.05b	53.00-53.00
March	54.60b	54.55-54.55
May	55.40b	55.35-55.35
July	56.10b	56.05-56.05
Total sales	66 contracts	

EXCHANGE RATES

	Nov. 19.	Nov. 20.
Paris	75.21/32	75.21/32
Geneva	15.30	15.30
Berlin	12.40 1/2	12.40 1/2
Helsinki	22 1/2	22 1/2
Oslo	19.90 1/4	19.90 1/4
Athens	620	620
Milan	58 1/2	58 1/2
Buenos Aires	30 1/2	30 1/2
Shanghai	1/4 1/2	1/4 1/2
Hongkong	4.98 1/4	4.98 1/4
Amsterdam	7.87 1/4	7.87 1/4
Vienna	27	27
Prague	119.5/16	119.5/16
Bucharest	497	497
Madrid	39 1/2	39 1/2
Brussels	1/16 1/2	1/16 1/2
Stockholm	21.36 1/2	21.36 1/2
Copenhagen	19.40 1/2	19.40 1/2
Liabon	22.20	22.20
Bombay	110 1/2	110 1/2
Kokohama	1/16 1/2	1/16 1/2
Yokohama	1/16 1/2	1/16 1/2
Montevideo	30 1/2	30 1/2
Belgrade	210	210
Silver (Spot)	24.5/16	24 1/2
Silver (forward)	24.7/16	24 1/2
War Loan	107 1/2	107 1/2

OBITUARY

FORMER BRITISH CONSUL
AT SEOUL

London, Nov. 20. The death is announced of Mr. Arthur Hyde-Lay, former British Consul-General at Seoul.—*Reuter.*

CINEMA NEWS

NOTES FROM THE
THEATRES

"Hide-out" the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture, coming on Saturday to the Queen's Theatre, is heralded as one of those wholesome film productions which leave a lasting impression on those who see it. It deals with a happy-go-lucky post-repeal racketeer who, believing he has everything one could wish for in life—money without working for it, romance and pleasure—comes to his senses after he has been driven from New York by the police, only to find real love and happiness in a rural environment. The picture is said to be crammed with all of the excitement of Big Town life and the purity and simple existence of a rural community. As "Lucky" Wilson, the playboy, Robert Montgomery has a made-to-order role. Reluctantly he is compelled to find a country hide-out to escape arrest and to recover from a bullet wound, but he soon becomes entranced with the country when he meets Maureen O'Sullivan, cast in the role of a farmer's daughter. Prominently cast in "Hide-out" is Edward Arnold, who will be remembered for his recently seen portrayal in "Sadie McKee" in which he played Joan Crawford's philandering husband. In the role of Mrs. Miller, Elizabeth Patterson is seen. The picture serves as the debut of one of the stage's finest character actors—Whitford Kane. Mickey Rooney, 12-year-old boy actor, and said to be one of the film colony's most talented child stars, plays the role of the young farm lad, Willie Miller, whose antics and mischief add considerable humour to the picture. Others in the large supporting cast include C. Henry Gordon, Muriel Evans, Edward Brophy, Henry Armetta, Herman Bing, Louise Henry and Harold Huber. The picture was filmed by the well-known director, W. S. Van Dyke. "Hide-out" marks Robert Montgomery's first film appearance since "The Mystery of Mr. X." Miss O'Sullivan was last seen in "The Thin Man".

"I've Got Your Number" the widely heralded Warner Bros. picture dealing with the romance of the telephone, is the feature attraction at the Alhambra Theatre to-day. The screen play by Warren Duff and Sidney Sutherland pictures in sweeping panorama the vital activities of telephone employees in their contacts with the public, and with each other. It dramatizes the colourful incidents of everyday life to the throbbing pulse of human emotion. The picture is said to touch on every phase of life behind the scenes of telephone operation, revealing its laughter and love, its tragedy and thrills. The story is in fast tempo and the dialogue unusually snappy and plenty of action and a great deal of suspense, winding up with a smashing climax in a terrific battle with a band of robbers and kidnapers. Joan Blondell heads a large and talented cast of players in the role of telephone operator who is used as a cat's paw by the crooks and lands in jail as their accomplice only to be extricated by Pat O'Brien, who plays opposite her as a trouble shooter for the telephone company, a self-confident, swaggering person actually successful in smashing the hearts of fair ladies and gangster's heads. Glenda Farrell, Eugene Pallette, Allen Jenkins and Hobart Cavanaugh, comedians par excellence, supply much of the comedy angle, aided and abetted by Miss Blondell and O'Brien. Gordon Westcott, the master mind of the confidence men while others in the cast include such sterling actors as Henry O'Neill, Renee Whitney, Wallis Clark, Robert Ellis, Charles Wilson and Clay Clement. Ray Enright directed.

"Many Happy Returns" George Barbier, who specializes in excitable father roles, admits that his role in "Many Happy Returns" could never be improved upon. In the picture, which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre, Barbier is cast in the role of the most harassed father he has ever had to portray, the dad of Grace Allen. The picture features Guy Lombardo and his Royal Canadians, George Burns and Gracie Allen, the famous "nitwits of the network" who have recently appeared in "We're

HONGKONG FUNDS

FURTHER RESPONSE TO THE
POPPY DAY APPEAL

The following are further subscriptions to the Poppy Day Fund: Previously acknowledged \$11,496.95 Sale of Poppies—Swatow 230.50 Mrs. P. B. Joly, Hoihow 94.92 8th St. R. A. Butterfield and Swire, Ltd. 12 Jardine Matheson and Co., Ltd. 7.20 Hongkong Girl Guides' Assocn. 5.10 Anonymous 5 \$11,860.67

The amount of \$10 acknowledged yesterday from the Roman Catholic Church, should have been "Roman Catholic Church, Sham-shui-poo."

Further contributions will be gratefully received by Mr. F. G. Maumder, Secretary to Earl Haig's Fund, York Building, Hongkong. Cheques should be made payable to Thomson and Co. and crossed "Poppy Day Fund."

not Dressing" and "Six of a Kind" Barber, heading the supporting cast, returns from a trip to Europe to find that his daughter, Gracie, is more recent than he thought possible. To get her off his hands, he pays George Burns to marry her. But humour to the picture. Others in the cast do not put a stop to Barber's trouble, and it was only the start of George's "Many Happy Returns" was directed by Norman McLeod from the screen play by J. P. McEvoy and Claude Binyon.

"Madame Du Barry" Dolores Del Rio, after years of playing leading film roles, is now a fledgling motion picture star. The beautiful Mexican girl who leaped to film fame in the First National picture, "Joanna," with Dorothy Mackaill, afterwards reaching top success in her characterization of "Charmaine" in "What Price Glory," has attained stardom as the Countess Du Barry, favourite of King Louis XV, in the Warner Bros. production of "Madame Du Barry," which is scheduled to open at Alhambra Theatre this week-end. Du Barry is the lead role. The gay, beautiful Miss Del Rio will have a role of Louis XV had an exciting time of it during her unofficial reign of the French Court—and her adventures have been carefully and authentically adapted to the screen by Edward Chodorov. Miss Del Rio will have a superb supporting cast in the picture including Victor Jory, Verree Teasdale, Osgood Perkins and Reginald Owen.

"To The Last Man" Zane Grey's latest roaring outdoor romance of the West, "To The Last Man," today at the King's Theatre, holds the undivided attention of the audience, as such a genuinely thrilling adventure drama should. Rapid action, tender love, jealousy, primitive hatred and a family feud passing through three generations are the principal elements of the story, which is literally peppered with gun-fire. A wisely selected all-star cast, comprised of Randolph Scott, Esther Ralston, Buster Crabbe, Jack LaRue, Noah Berry, Fuzzy Knight, Muriel Kirkland, Barton MacLane and Gail Patrick, interprets the story, based on an actual Arizona feud. The principal players do a splendid job in giving the picture that quality of realism to which such a plot is entitled.

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Piano Solos—Billy Mayerl's Own Selection.
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.05-8.25 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital of Russian Songs by Serafin Strelkoff (Russian Baritone) accompanied at the Piano by Mrs. Nura Kanis.

Programme
1. The Truth is Suspected (from "The Life of Jzsef"). Glinka.
2. Ballad. A. Rubinstein.
3. Oh, You Sunshine. Slonoff.
4. The Two Giants. Stolpin.
5. The Star. Isakoff.
6. Down the street of Petersburg my Sweetheart is Coming. Russian Dance Song.

8.25-8.50 p.m. Light Orchestral Selection.
In Fairy Realm Suite (Albert W. Kotelbey).
Albert W. Kotelbey's Concert Orchestra.

(a) The Moonlight Glade.
(b) The Queen Fairy Dance.
(c) The Gnomes March.
Bella Across the Meadows (Albert W. Kotelbey).

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Waltzes from Vienna—Waltz Selection (J. Strauss).
London Theatre Orchestra.
8.50-9 p.m. Memories of Chopin (arr. Willoughby) and played by the J. H. Squire-Coleman Octet.
9-9.20 p.m. From the Studio.
A Talk on "Bimetallism" by Professor R. Robertson.
9.20-9.30 p.m. The Lerner String Quartet.
Gavotte—Transcription (Gluck).
Barenolite—Transcription (Tchaikovsky).

Quartet No. 1 in D Major—Finale Allegro (Brahms).
9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.
London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-9.55 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital by Miss Elia Alves (Soprano) accompanied by Miss Maria Gomes, F.R.C.L. Flute Obligato—J. Sulzer.

Programme
1. Come per sereno—"Sormen-bula". Bellini.
2. Son vergin vezzosa—"Surtain". Bellini.
3. Arias from "Lucia di Lammer-moor". Donizetti.
(a) Arion gl'incensi.
(b) Spargi d'amaro pianto.
4. Ave Maria. Tosti.
5. Una voce poco fa—"Il Barbiere di Siviglia". Rossini.
9.55-10.30 p.m. Dance Music.
Fox-Trot—When you've got a Little Spring Time.
Fox-Trot—Over my Shoulder.
Fox-Trot—Emaline.
Fox-Trot—From Now on.
Fox-Trot—A New Moon is over my Shoulder.
from the M.G.M. film "Student Tour".
Fox-Trot—I'm Just that way.
Fox-Trot—Roses in the Rain.
Slow Fox-Trot—All Wind.
Fox-Trot—As Long as I Live.
Fox-Trot—Isle of Capri.
Waltz—Grinning.
10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.
Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further London Stocks and Commodity Quotations.
10.40 p.m. Close Down.

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11.15 p.m. News in German.
11.30 p.m. "The Dream of a Child" according to a poem by Goethe.
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11.55 p.m. News in English.
12.20 a.m. Close Down.

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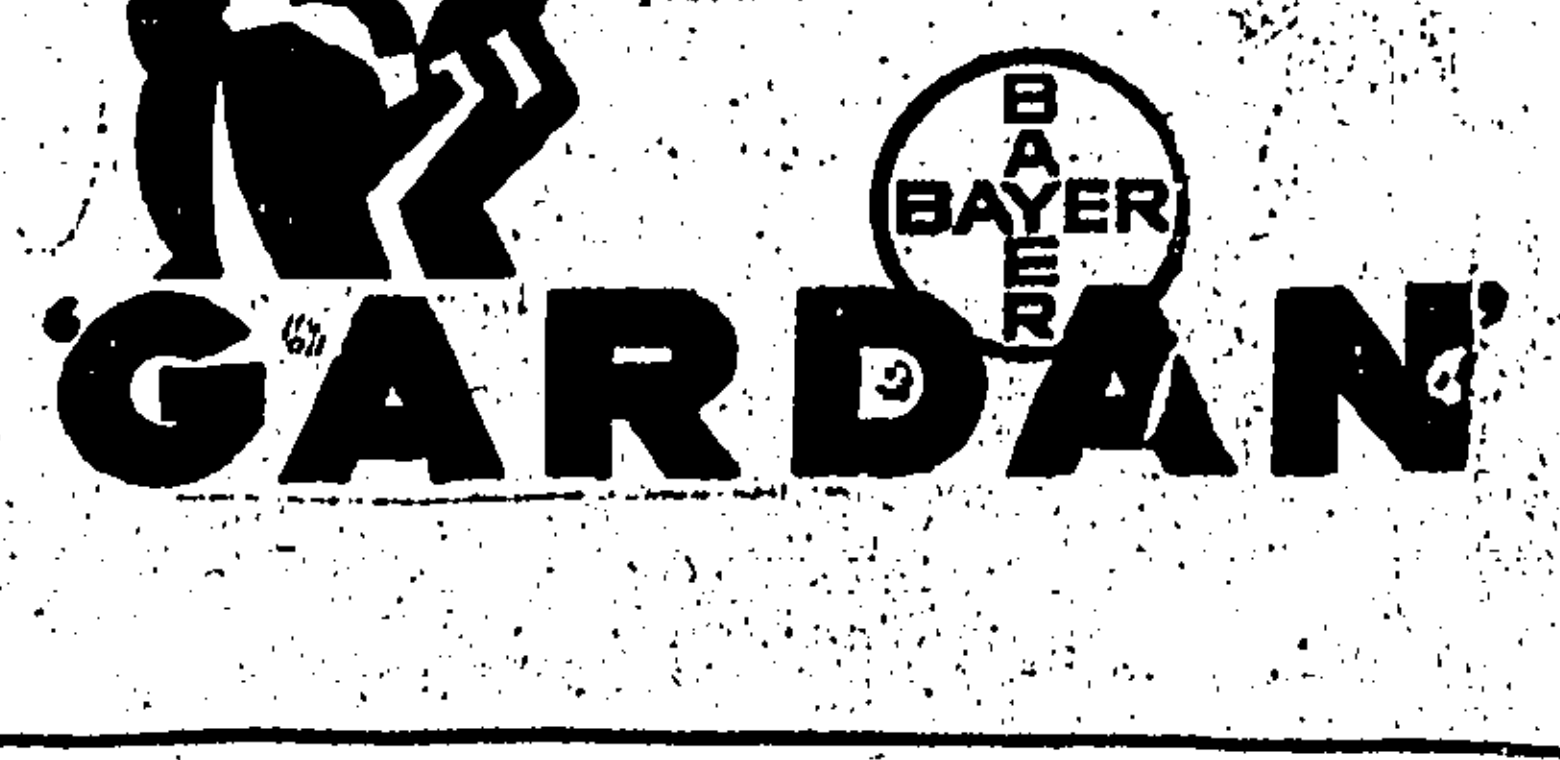
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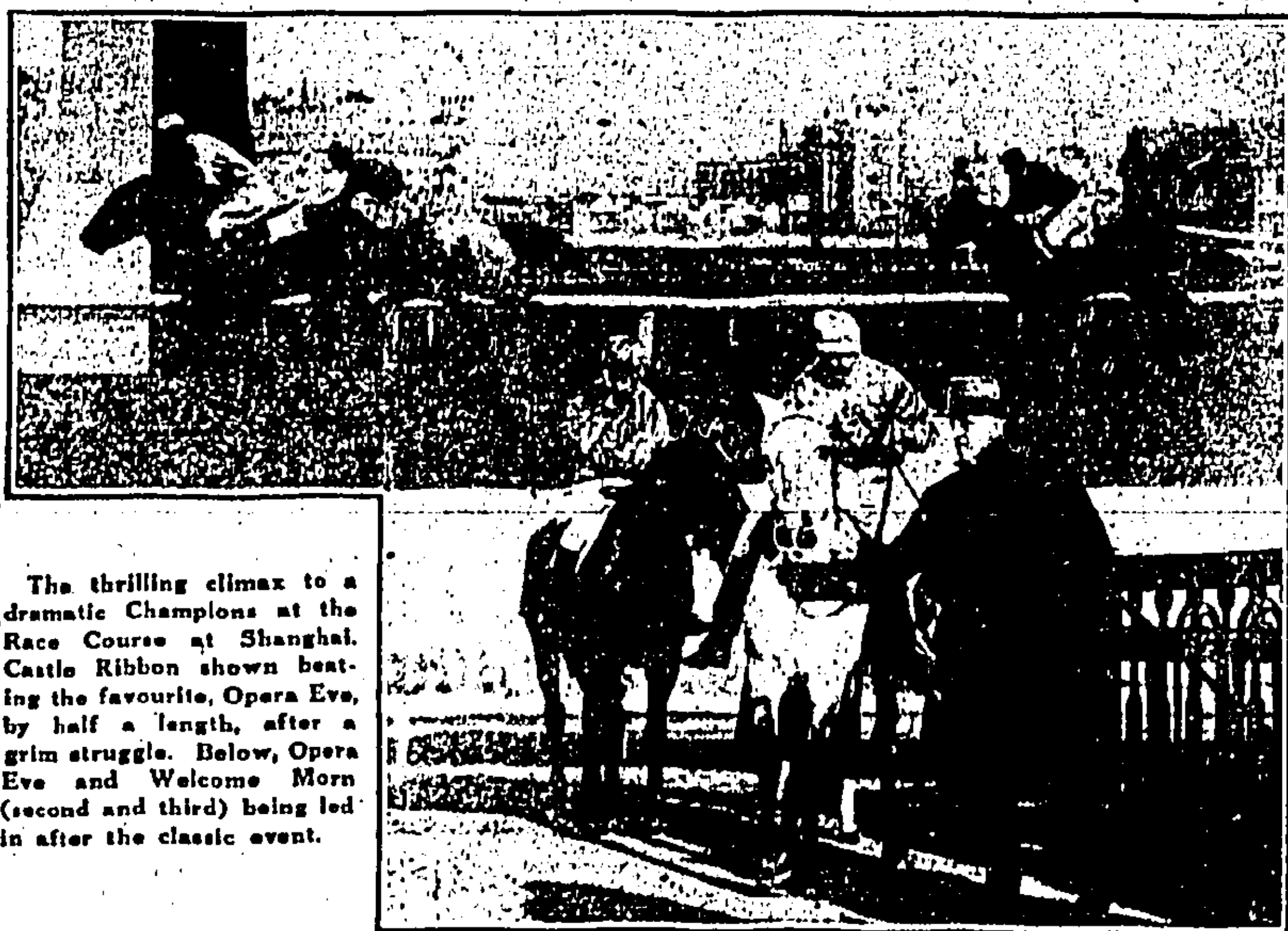
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The thrilling climax to a dramatic Champions at the Race Course at Shanghai. Castle Ribbon shown beating the favourite, Opera Eve, by half a length, after a grim struggle. Below, Opera Eve and Welcome Morn (second and third) being led in after the classic event.

LOCAL SOCCER

Several Postponements For Saturday Next

Several postponements are notified for next Saturday's local football programme the most notable being the match between the Club and the Navy in the First Division. The match between the Club de Recreo and the Kowloon Football Club has also been re-arranged. In the place of these two postponements it has been arranged that the Royal Navy and the Club de Recreo play off their match originally fixed for March 2. This game will be played on the Kowloon Football Club ground commencing at 4.15 p.m. In the Second Division the following matches arranged for Saturday next

BASKETBALL

Wah Yan College Win Senior Shield

After a keen and exciting match, Wah Yan College on Tuesday afternoon beat Wah Kiu College in the final for the Senior Basketball Shield. Both teams had been previously unbeaten, so that the excitement was intense. Every possible point of vantage round Blakely Gardens, where the match was played, was occupied. The final whistle went with Wah Yan leading by 11 points, the full-time score being 27-16.

have been postponed.—Hongkong Football Club v. South Wales Borderers, University v. Chinese Athletics and Eastern v. Kowloon Football Club.

Interport Shoot

Colony Bad Last In Triangular Match

Hongkong finished a bad last in the Triangular Interport Rifle Shoot which has been won by Shanghai who compiled a grand total of 965 points against Singapore's aggregate of 954.

Shanghai fired last week, when their ten counting men averaged 96.5. Twelve men shoot, but only the ten best scores count. The only rifle allowed to be used in the short magazine Lee-Enfield .303. The ranges are 200, 500 and 600 yards, one eighth and seven scoring shots at each range.

Hongkong fired on November 4 last, and registered a total of 958 points. Shanghai's detailed scores were as follows:

	200	500	600	Total
1. A. Mottu	81	84	84	249
2. H. Berglof	82	84	83	249
3. C. W. Glover	82	86	82	250
4. H. Evangelista	81	84	82	247
5. W. Seal	83	82	83	248
6. L. Gullerme	80	83	84	247
7. H. M. Jordan	80	84	83	247
8. V. Sherman	80	84	83	247
9. L. Chu	79	81	83	243
10. V. W. Robinson	78	81	83	242
	804	832	829	965

Counted out: S.S. Yeaton 89, A. Comtesse 86.

FRIENDLY HOCKEY

Y.M.C.A. SENIORS BEAT ST. ANDREW'S

N. A. E. Mackay, who usually plays in the forward line, made his debut as goalkeeper for St. Andrew's Club against the European Y.M.C.A. first eleven in a friendly hockey match played at King's Park yesterday afternoon. The Y.M.C.A. won by one goal to nil. Mackay was never really tested and had had luck with the shot that did enter the net.

The Y.M.C.A. commenced with only eight men, having to rely on two forwards, W. J. Brown and A. L. Henry. It was during this period that Brown found the net with a shot scored from a difficult angle.

C. H. Fowler, R. A. Bates and S. Fowler arrived during the first half and completed the Y.M.C.A. line-out. The Saints' forwards, with the exception of the opening minutes of the game, never looked like becoming dangerous and attacked very seldom. Farmer, at centre-half, and Sommer, at right-back, repulsed the Saints' forward line, Farmer putting in some good clearances.

F. A. Broadbridge and E. H. P. White, the Saints' backs, both played hard in the defence. Frequent offside by their forwards prevented several Y.M.C.A. attacks from materialising.

Radio Win in a friendly match between

RUMJAHN AND MRS. CHIU PASS INTO SECOND ROUND

Fourteen couples have entered for the Colony Mixed Doubles Tennis Championship this year, and the draw, which was made at the Chinese Recreation Club last evening, gives promise of some very interesting matches.

H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chui and L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock move through into the second round without opposition. Both these pairs are strong contenders for the title.

E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel, another pair who will need close watching, meet Paul Kong and Miss Cheung Woon-wai in the first round.

The complete draw was as follows:

FIRST ROUND
Lee Wai-tong and Miss Ellen Tsao v. T. A. Pearce and Miss H. Hancock.
E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel v. Paul Kong and Miss Cheung Woon-wai.
H. T. Armstrong and Mrs. P. P. Whitlam v. Capt. E. Manners and Mrs. E. Grimble.
Lieut. C. Ravenhill and Miss Conder v. W. C. Hung and Miss M. Griffith.
S. A. Gray and Miss A. Mackenzie v. Mr. and Mrs. Ho Ka-lau.

SECOND ROUND
L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock, bye.
H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chui, bye.
The first round of the championship has to be completed before December 15.

The Radio Sports Club and the Hongkong Police played on the Police Training School ground yesterday the Radio won by one goal to nil. Play was fast and exciting both sides pressing in turns.

M. H. Hassan, the Radio centre-half, scored from a pass from Kitchell in the first half. After this interval the Police forwards showed better combination and tried hard for the equalizer but the Radio intermediate line proved the main stumbling block. For the Police, Perkins at centre-forward played a sterling game while the Radio was best served by Hassan and Kitchell in defence. Awtar Singh and M. de Souza, a promising new player on the right flank, were the pick of the forwards.

CAMBRIDGE WIN AT RUGBY

London, Nov. 19. Cambridge University had a narrow win to-day when they beat Newport's rugby fifteen by 18 points to 13.—Reuter.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Twelfth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday, the 1st December, 1934. (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, the 22nd November, 1934.

By Order, C. R. BROWN, Secretary.

PONSFORD RETIRES

Testimonial Match In Melbourne

Melbourne, Nov. 20. When the next cricket test matches between England and Australia are played, Australia will take the field without the services of Woodfull, Ponsford and O'Reilly.

Woodfull announced his impending retirement some time ago. O'Reilly announced his withdrawal from first class cricket a few weeks ago and Ponsford stated to-day that he would not longer be available for first class matches.

Ponsford's announcement was made at the conclusion of a testimonial match to Woodfull and Ponsford for their service to Australian cricket. The match was played between teams captained by Richardson and Woodfull. Woodfull's team won by seven wickets.

Batting first, Richardson's Eleven scored 196. Grimmett took five wickets for 64. Woodfull's team replied with 316 (Woodfull 111, Ponsford 83). In their second innings, Richardson's men did much better, putting on 899. Richardson top-scored with 107 and Grimmett again took the majority of wickets, finishing up with four for 108.

Woodfull's team carried their score to 280 for three wickets. Brown made 102 and Ponsford 48.—Reuter.

WEST INDIES TOUR

London, Nov. 20. The M.C.C. has selected the following cricketers for the West Indies tour: Wyatt and Holmes (Surrey); Townsend (Oxford University); Farnes, W. Harbord (Yorkshire); Hendren, Hammond, Leyland, Ames, Smith (Middlesex); Paine, Iddon, Parrinond, Hollis (Warwickshire).—Reuter.

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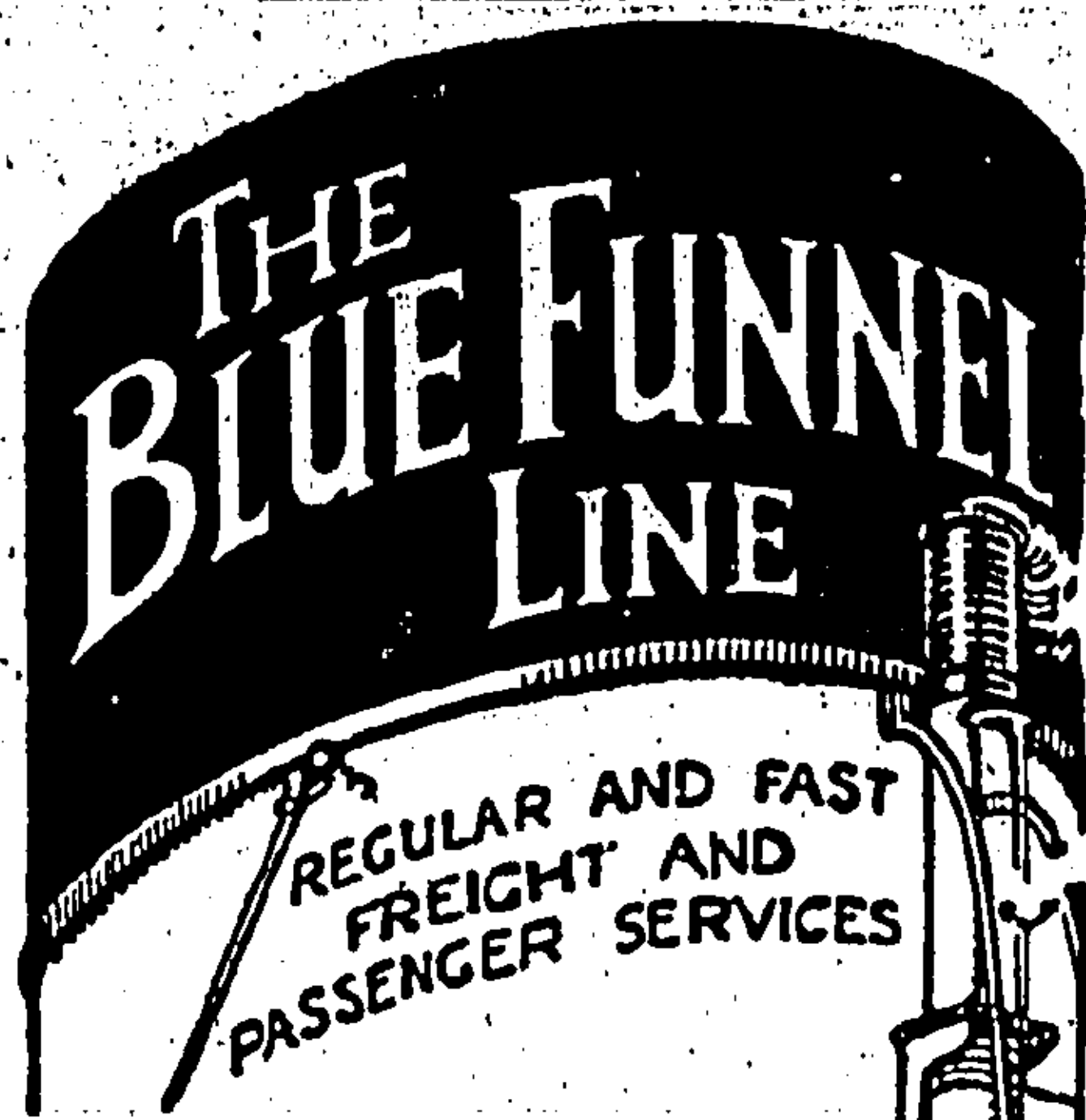


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SERIAL STORY

The Clue Of The Forgotten Murder:

By CARLETON KENDRAKE

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

When DAN BLEEKER, publisher of The Blade, learns that CHARLES MORDEN, police reporter, has been mysteriously killed by a man named SIDNEY GRIFF, famous criminologist, to solve the murder.

CHAPTER XIII

Griff had been listening to the lawyer intently. "How long," he asked, "was this reporter in River-view?"

"Just a day I think. Perhaps not a day. I don't know. He made some investigation and made some comments. He spent most of his time in the office of The Riverview Chronicle, a newspaper, he says, which has been hostile to Mr. Cathay's political candidacy for membership in the city council."

"Did that man," asked Griff, "call on you, counselor?"

"On me?"

"Yes, certainly not. He was collecting evidence which would have a tendency to undermine my client's reputation. Naturally, he would hardly have called upon me."

"You didn't know him then?"

"No."

"Perhaps then," said the criminologist, "you entirely missed the significance of the account in The Blade this morning of the murder of one of its reporters."

Charles Fisher gripped the edges of his desk. His head was thrust forward. His eyes fastened upon the criminologist, the huge building which, despite its magnitude, seemed to blend in its grounds with such perfect harmony. The building looked as though it might have grown there.

"You want me to wait? asked the cab driver."

"Yes," Griff said, and started up the long cement walk which led from the front of the house.

He had almost reached the porch when the door opened and a tall man with broad shoulders and a slight paunch which bulged out his waistcoat stepped with quick vigour from the house and turned sharply to the right, walking across the porch to stairs which led to a driveway that came from the garage.

Griff called a low comment: "Hello, Racine," he said. "You going to pass me up?"

The man whirled at the sound of the voice. His eyes stared at Sidney Griff with an expression of quick recognition which speedily gave way to wary appraisal. He turned and walked back toward Griff with a leisurely manner. The quick, purposeful vigour of his stride was now entirely absent.

Griff watched him with eyes that twinkled with amusement, yet were cautiously watchful.

"Business here, Racine?" he asked. Carl Racine stood with his feet planted slightly apart, his big shoulders squared, his eyes staring steadily at the criminologist.

"Business here, Griff?" he asked mockingly.

Griff nodded. "Yes," he said. "I want to see Mrs. Cathay."

"Hardly a fit time for social visits," Racine pointed out.

Griff shrugged his shoulders in a polite gesture of dismissal.

"After all, Racine," he said, "that is a matter for Mrs. Cathay to determine. If she has been able to see Carl Racine of the Racine Detective

tions to my clients?"

Griff smiled at him.

"I think not," he said.

The two men shook hands.

Griff went at once to a public telephone, called the office of Dr. P. C. Cooper and explained to the nurse that it was quite important that he talk with Doctor Cooper upon a personal matter.

A moment later he heard Doctor Cooper's voice on the wire.

"This is Griff, Doctor Cooper," he said, "the criminologist who called on you earlier this morning."

"Yes," said Doctor Cooper in a tone that was calm and wary. "What is it you wish, Mr. Griff?"

"I just wanted to tell you," Griff said, "that I have been in communication with the counsel who is representing Mrs. Frank B. Cathay, and that the Cathays are planning to have you cited before the medical board because of the statements you made concerning the symptoms of Mr. Frank B. Cathay."

"Yes?" said Doctor Cooper in the tone of voice one uses in asking a courteous question.

"Yes," Griff said, "and I just thought, Doctor Cooper, that if a post-mortem should disclose that your diagnosis was correct and that of Doctor Amstead incorrect, it might go a long way toward eliminating the necessity for any defence upon your part."

Griff ceased talking and held the telephone to his ear. For a moment there was only the buzzing noise of the wire. Then Doctor Cooper's voice said in the same cautious, thoughtful tone, "Thank you."

There was a click at the end of the line.

Griff slipped the receiver back on its hook.

Sidney Griff's taxicab deposited him at the wide entrance to the Cathay mansion. Griff inspected the well kept grounds, the huge building which, despite its magnitude, seemed to blend in its grounds with such perfect harmony. The building looked as though it might have grown there.

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Bureau she doubtless will be able to see me."

"Perhaps," Racine said.

There was a moment of silence.

"I wonder if you can tell me just what angle of this case you're working on?" Racine asked.

"How many angles has it?" Griff countered.

Racine frowned impatiently.

"Oh," he said, "I'm just a square-jawed dick. I can't match wits with you if it comes to a matter of being indefinite in conversation. You don't have to tell me if you don't want to, but don't be so damned superior. After all, you're only human, you know, even if you are Sidney C. Griff, the great criminologist."

Griff said nothing. His eyes held a twinkle of amusement.

"I thought," Racine said, "that you might like a chance to pool information on this."

"Sure," said Griff, "that's fair enough. You start off. You tell me something, then I'll tell you something."

"That's a bargain," Racine said. "Who are you working for?"

Griff's laugh was almost sarcastic. "So that was the way you wanted to pool information, was it, Racine?"

A smooch running motor slid into view, stopped where the side steps of the porch met the driveway. The Cathay chauffeur slid from behind the wheel, opened the rear door of the car and stared steadily at the two men.

"There is," said Griff, musingly, "something strange about that chauffeur, Racine. Turn around and take a look at him. He wears the livery of a servant but notice the expression on his face. He's evidently very much irritated because we're talking together."

Racine did not turn, but he straightened abruptly and his tone became formal.

"He's in a hurry," he said. "He's under instructions to get me to a certain place. I've got to start. Goodbye, Griff."

Racine crossed the porch with long strides. The chauffeur stood at rigid attention, his face a mask. As the detective entered the car, the chauffeur slammed the door, turned to face Sidney Griff.

"You can't see Mrs. Cathay," he said, jerking open the front door of the car. "He did not wait for a reply, nor did he turn back for any instructions from the detective."

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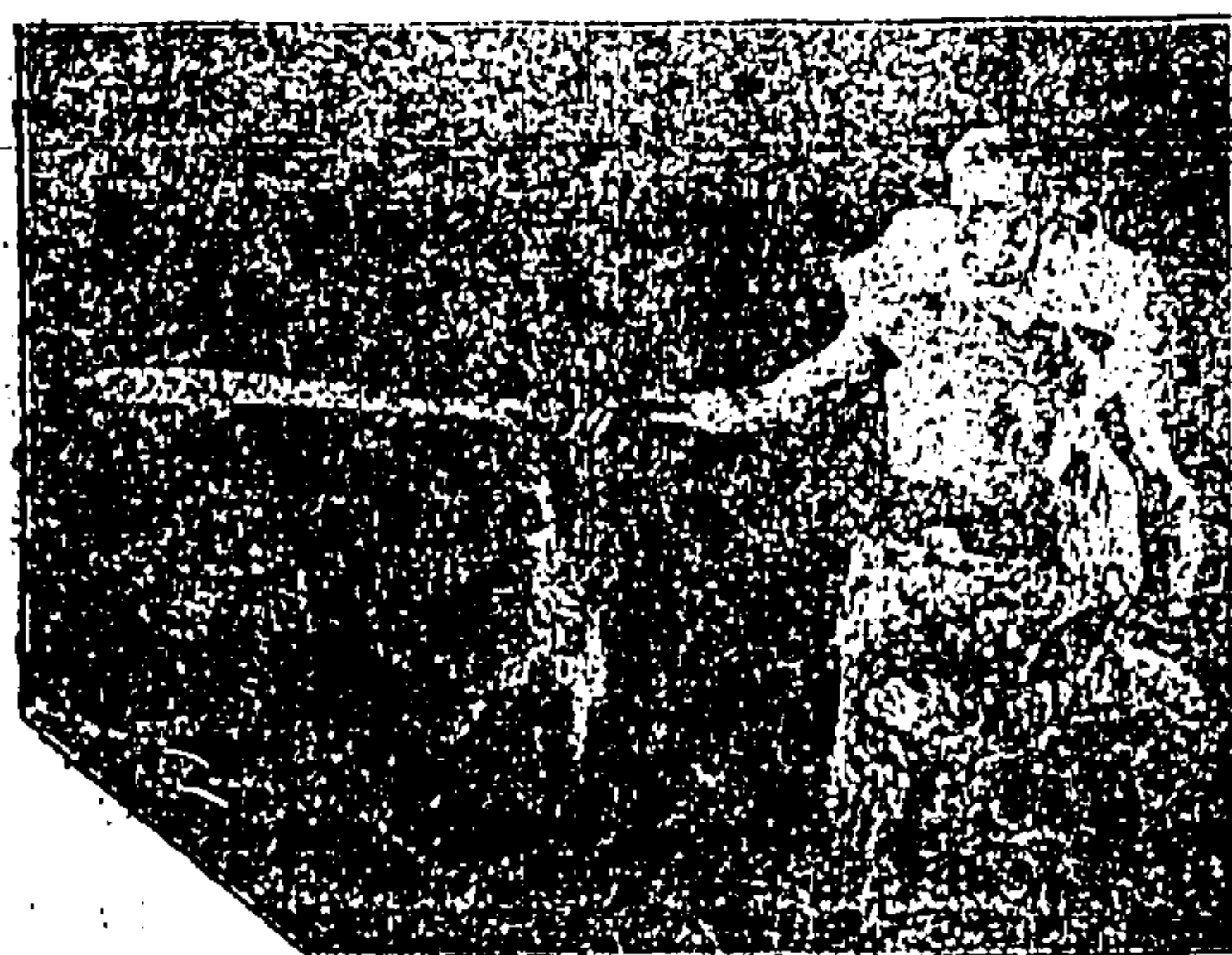


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PHOEBE KOTEWALL WEDS MR. W. A. HUNG

Miss Phoebe Jesper Kotewall, second daughter of the Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall and Mrs. Kotewall, was married yesterday to Mr. Walter Alexander Hung.

The wedding ceremony took place at the Registrar's Office, Supreme Court, at noon, Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith officiating. The bride's father and cousin were present at the ceremony.

The bridegroom, who is the Assistant Manager of the Sang Wo Co. Ltd., is the eldest son of Mr. Hung Tze-yee, Manager of the Sang Wo Co. and head of the Chinese Dept. of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Arts Faculty of Hongkong University, and for some time he played cricket for the University. His eldest sister is the wife of Mr. Robert Ho Tung, son of Sir Robert Ho Tung.

Later in the afternoon, a reception was held at the bride's home, "Hutton House," Kotewall Road.

Marina Gown.

The bride wore an exquisite wedding gown created by "Miranda" and made by the Salon de Mode. It was carried out in silver lace on the same lines as that worn by Princess Marina next week for her wedding at Westminster Abbey. With the gown, the bride wore a tiara of silver lace and orange blossom. She carried a bouquet of white roses.

Miss Doris Kotewall attended her sister as bridesmaid, and wore an ivory chiffon velvet gown created by "Armand and Marcel" made by the Salon de Mode. She also wore a tiara to match and carried a bouquet of gladioli.

Little Miss Patsy Kotewall and Master Cyril Kotewall, as flower-girl and page-boy, wore white satin also made by Salon de Mode.

Sir Thomas Southern, K.C., C.M.G., in proposing the health of the happy couple, said:

"I feel highly honoured to have been asked to propose the health of the bride and bridegroom on the occasion of the union of two such well known and distinguished families of Hongkong. For Walter and Phoebe are real children of Hongkong and a fine advertisement they are for Hongkong homes and Hongkong schools."

"The Bride's father and mother are two of our oldest friends in Hongkong and we have watched Phoebe grow up from childhood into a charming young woman she is today. Richly named, she is the sunshine of her parents' home and Hutton House will for a time seem a dull place without her but I am quite sure her delight-

ful younger sisters will see to it that her place is quickly filled.

"I think Walter Hung must have known the old Gaelic proverb: 'Choose a good mother's choice for a wife,' for certainly he has acted upon it and in so doing he has found a pearl of great price. The Bride's parents have long since solved the problem, propounded many years ago by a Hongkong writer, of 'How to be happy though married,' and I am sure the newly married couple, with such an example before them, will find the task equally easy."

"The bridegroom I have not had the pleasure of knowing so well but I had the honour of proposing the health of the bride and bridegroom at the wedding of his charming sister so I naturally feel a special interest in Walter Hung's marriage. My secret service has been at work on his past and, although I might have had some interesting stories to tell had it been otherwise, I am glad to say my agents report that he is fully qualified to wear the white flower of a blameless life. Worthy son of a worthy father, he has graduated from the Hongkong University with credit in work and play alike, and has quickly settled down to the serious business of life, and the most successful piece of business he has done so far is the wise step he has taken to-day."

"Ladies and Gentlemen the happy pair are matched. Forbearance will be required of them from time to time for difficulties are bound to arise and life will not always wear its present superlatively rosy aspect but they are well trained for the duties that lie before them and we who are happily married offer them our congratulations on their entry to-day on the happiest period of their lives."

"Ladies and Gentlemen I give you the toast of the health, happiness and prosperity of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hung."

Guests at Reception

Among the many guests present at the wedding reception were:

Lady Peel, Capt. R. F. Walter, Mr. J. G. Pilcher, Major Gen. and Mrs. O. C. Borrett, Capt. F. R. L. Hoare, Commodore and Mrs. F. Elliott, Payr, Cendr. F. N. Porter, Rt. Rev. Bishop R. Hall and Mrs. Hall, Rt. Rev. Bishop S. W. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. A. MacGregor, the Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lindsell, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Smith and Miss Smith, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. E. Taylor and Miss Taylor, the Hon. Comdr. and Mrs. G. P. Hole, the Hon. Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Wellington, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Henderson, the Hon. Mr. T. H. Kinn, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Mackie and Miss Mackie, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Dowell and the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. J. Owen Hughes and the Misses Owen Hughes, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Braga, the Hon. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Ts'o, the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau,

FUNERAL TO-DAY

OLD BRITISH RESIDENT OF SHANGHAI

Shanghai, Nov. 20.
The funeral of Mr. William Horton Leslie, son of the oldest British residents of Shanghai, will be held to-morrow. Mr. Leslie was found dead in his bed early yesterday morning. Circumstances suggested death from natural causes.

The inquest will be resumed on November 23.—Reuter.

Sir William Hornell, Mr. and Mrs. Liu Han-min and Miss Hu, Lady Ho Tung, The Rev. and Mrs. Swann, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Trainman, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. C. North.

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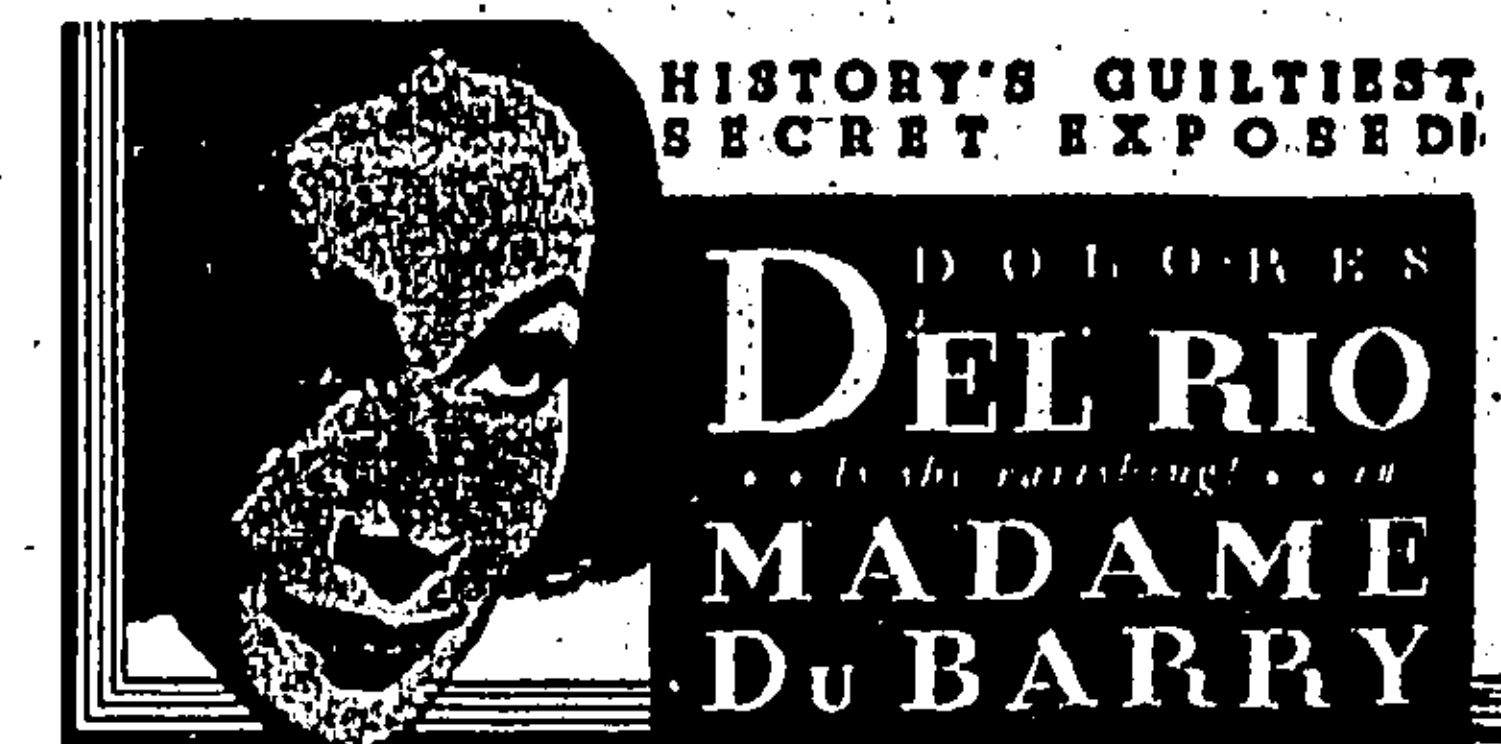
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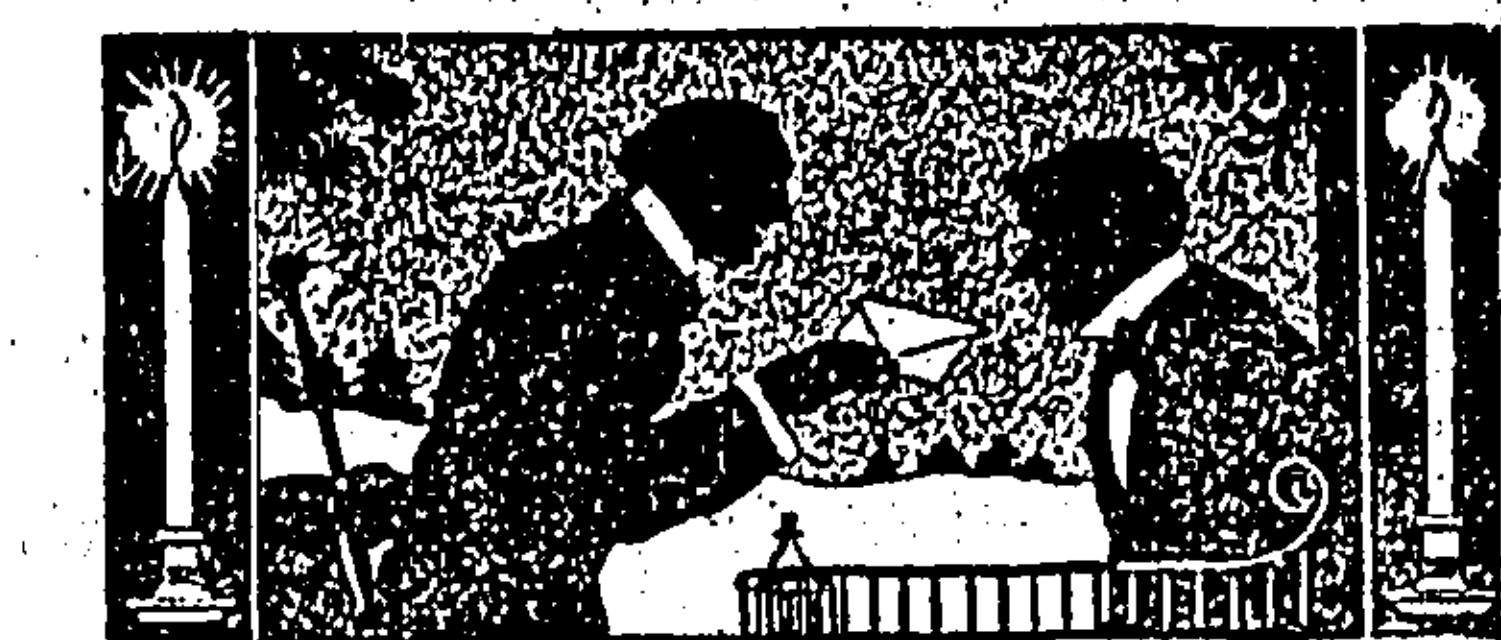
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JAPAN DESIRES WORLD PEACE

U.S. THREAT TO FORTIFY IN PACIFIC

NEW TURN IN NAVAL TALKS

JINGOISTS ASSAILED

Washington, Nov. 20. Assailing the jingoists of Japan and other nations, Mr. Saito, the Japanese Minister at Washington, in an article in the *Christian Science Monitor*, declares that Japan must not have an aggressive policy.

"We must live in the world together. A belligerent member only adds to the burden of all." "I say deliberately that the London naval conference must succeed for the peace of the world."

United States Government heads read the article with interest but declined to comment.—*Reuter*.

U. S. THREAT.

London, Nov. 20. According to the *Daily Telegraph*, the Japanese delegates to the naval conference have been informed by the United States that the Government at Washington regards Article XIX as an integral part of the Washington Covenant and that if the Covenant itself ceases to operate the agreement in regard to non-fortification is naturally void.

This is taken to mean that if Japan denounces the Washington Treaty, limiting the Japanese naval strength to the 5-5-3 ratio, the United States will feel herself free to fortify any territory she desires in the Pacific.—*Reuter*.

PROMISE NEVER MADE

JAPAN EXPLAINS NAVAL POLICY

NO BRITISH STATEMENT

DEVELOPMENTS OF NOTE?

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Nov. 20. The suggestion that Japan some time said that if she were granted naval parity she would not build up to it, was described to-day as a complete misconception, when Mr. Matsudaira, the Japanese Minister, was interviewed.

The actual position is, he said, that Japan, if accorded parity, might not need to build up to the strength of Britain and America in all categories. But she had certainly made no statement that she would not build to parity if she deemed it necessary.

There will be another meeting to-morrow afternoon between Mr. Matsudaira and Sir John Simon, the British Foreign Secretary, and possibly the full delegations will meet.

PROMISES INFORMATION.

Mr. MacDonald, the Prime Minister, told the House of Com-

Political Situation Very Jumpy

FOREIGN RELATIONS CLOSELY GUARDED

MACDONALD'S OUTLOOK

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, Nov. 20. In the House of Commons debate on the Speech from the Throne, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, the Prime Minister, to-day admitted that "no doubt the political situation abroad had become very jumpy."

"The most important consideration before the country at the present time," the Prime Minister went on, "is the matter of foreign affairs and our foreign relations."

"Since the events of the past eighteen months have not increased confidence, we propose to carry on co-operative work at Geneva not only as a pacifist Government but in order to promote the best interests of the country," he said.—*United Press*.

U.S. SHROUDS NAVAL PLANS IN SECRECY

MEASURES TO PREVENT INFORMATION LEAKAGE

BRITISH CONSUL'S DEATH

Tientsin, Nov. 21. Mr. Lancelot Giles, British Consul-General at Tientsin, died to-day.

Mr. Giles had served all his life in China. He was born in Amoy in 1878, the son of the late Professor Herbert A. Giles, and married the daughter of the late Dr. Robert Scott.

He was educated at Aberdeen University and Cambridge, and was appointed to the Consular service in 1899 and came to once to China. He was made Vice-Consul in 1914 and Consul in 1918, and has been Consul-General since 1928.

He received the China Medal and clasp for his part in the defence of the Legations in Peking in 1900.—*Reuter*.

Two Europeans were fined by Mr. J. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy this morning for allowing their dogs out in the street without muzzles. A. B. Ellis, of 109, The Peak was fined \$10 for allowing his dog to be out at 7.30 a.m. on November 7. A similar fine was imposed on N. Rodjestrin, of No. 125 Chien Yun Street, who admitted the offence, which was committed at 5.30 p.m. on October 12.

mons yesterday morning that he would be able to instruct the House as to how naval conversation matters stood at once.

PROMISES INFORMATION.

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AUSTRIA DEMANDS SECURITY

POLICY BACKED BY ITALY?

BIG ARMIES ON ALL SIDES

London, Nov. 20. A further complication of the armament situation was introduced to-day by Austria, whose delegate to the Disarmament Bureau of the League of Nations, Herr F. F. Luegel, declared that his country was deprived of all security in the face of the growing wall of force around her.

Austria would be unable to subscribe to any convention of limitation unless the obtained equality rights, he declared.

This statement, which marks Austria's first public intervention in the armaments question, created a sensation in political circles in Vienna, where it is believed the announced policy is closely connected with the Rome pact and is influenced by Italy.

Italy, according to the view of well-informed persons, desires Austria to be as strong as possible.—*Reuter*.

A most attractive recital is to be given by Professor Harry Ore's piano-forte students, assisted by Professor Corrado de la Cruz (violinist) and the German Mixed Choir at the Helena May Institute at 5.30 p.m. on Monday next.

U.S. SENDS OUT HER BILLS

Formal Reminder To Creditors

Washington, Nov. 20.

Formal notices reminding America's foreign creditors that U.S.\$154,726,976 are due for payment on December 12, in instalments on accounts, were sent out by the State Department to-day.

Of this considerable sum Great Britain owes the major part. The British instalment on account of War debts amounts to U.S.\$117,670,756.—*Reuter*.

PARAGUAY REJECTS PEACE PLAN

LEAGUE EFFORT TO END WAR

BOLIVIAN VIEWS NOT DISCLOSED

(Special to "Telegraph")

Asuncion, Nov. 20. Paraguay has rejected the League of Nations' proposals to end the Gran Chaco war on the grounds that they showed a total ignorance of the situation.

The League's Special Committee recently brought in recommendations which urged that a neutral zone be declared between Paraguay and Bolivia, that the belligerent nations should be held at Buenos Aires, with a time limit for the settlement of terms, and that if one of the combatants rejected the League's proposals the League should enforce an arms embargo against that state.

There has been no intimation from Bolivia as to the reception the League's plan has had there.—*United Press*.

Lancashire Tories Rap Government

NEED OF RELIEF FORGOTTEN

London, Nov. 20. The "Ginger Group" of Lancashire Conservative members of the House of Commons, which has been most active in question of Japanese competition in textile marks formerly controlled by Britain, to-day submitted an amendment in the debate in reply to the Speech from the Throne regretting that the King's Speech contained no concrete proposals for assisting the cotton, silk and artificial silk industries.

The amendment added that the King's Speech took no account of the consequential depression in occupations allied to the cotton and silk industry, and ignored the urgent need of the great mass of unemployed in Lancashire, Yorkshire and Cheshire.—*Reuter*.

from visiting the new aircraft carriers, the Yorktown and Enterprise, both under construction at Newport News. Company guards are inspecting all visitors and their credentials, which must be approved by high naval officials before they will procure free passage for the visitor to the building yards.—*Reuter*.

SERIOUS CLASH IN AUSTRIA

FATHERLAND FRONT VS. HEIMWEHR

POLICE INTERVENE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Innsbruck, Nov. 20. Strife has broken out between Austrian political factions until recently allied.

The Fatherland Front which is the Government's only bulwark against the Social Democrats and the Nazis, was involved.

Tension has been existing in the Tyrol for several weeks, and it culminated to-day in a serious clash between the semi-military body run under the auspices of Chancellor Schuschnigg, and the Heimwehr, which regard the Vice-Chancellor, Prince von Starhemberg, as their leader.

The latter force provoked the former with cries of "Hell Starhemberg!" to which there were counter cries.

The fighting which ensued was only stopped by police charges.—*Reuter Special*.

HONGKONG DIVORCE LAW INFRINGED

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PARTICULARS NOT IN EVIDENCE

SEQUEL TO REPORT OF CASE

The divorce action which came before the local Court last week and was the first of its kind to be brought in the Colony, had a sequel at the Central Magistracy this morning when Mr. F. P. Franklin, as publisher of *The Hongkong Telegraph* was fined \$20 for an infringement of the Divorce Ordinance.

The infringement arose out of the *Telegraph's* report of the case on Friday in which Dorothea Florence Soares, an Englishwoman, sought and obtained an order for the dissolution of her marriage with Alfredo Maria de Lourdes Soares, barrister-at-law of Hongkong and Shanghai.

The summons this morning was that Mr. Franklin printed or published in the *Hongkong Telegraph* in relation to a judicial proceeding for dissolution of marriage, to wit, Divorce Action No. 1 of 1934, particulars of charges in support of which evidence had not been given, contrary to Section 46 (1) (1) of Ordinance No. 25 of 1932.

Defendant, who appeared in person, was represented by Mr. R. A. Wadeson, of Messrs. Deacons.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor, was for the Crown.

The case was arranged for 11 a.m. and Mr. Lockhart Smith, who arrived at 11.30 a.m., apologized to the Magistrate, Mr. W. Schofield, for his lateness.

EXTENUATING POINTS

Mr. Wadeson said: "In this case I am pleading guilty to the summons and would ask Your Worship to take into consideration certain extenuating circumstances. This is the first divorce case which

BROKERS PLOT FASCIST COUP

AMAZING CHARGES IN AMERICA

GENERAL BUTLER OFFERED BRIBE OF \$3,000,000

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

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New York, Nov. 20.

Fantastic, but none the less sensational, reports of plans for the secret organisation of a Fascist army of 500,000 American ex-servicemen to march on Washington and seize control of the state, caused the eyes of the nation to remain fixed on the activities of the Senate Committee investigating these allegations to-day.

In connection with these charges General Smedley Butler, former commanding officer of the United States Marine Corps, appeared before the Committee. It had been stated that General Butler was offered \$3,000,000 to lead the Fascist uprising and take the helm of Government, that he had been offered the dictatorship of the United States on a gold platter.

CONTRADICTED

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, Nov. 20. It is now understood that Mr. MacGuire's testimony flatly denies General Butler's. The prominent financier, Mr. Grayson Murphy, who General Butler inferred was one of the financiers in the Fascist syndicate, says: "The whole story is a damned lie."—*United Press*.

General Butler was called before the Committee to explain what he had called certain "un-American activities."

He is said to have told the Committee that he refused to organise a Fascist army of half a million veterans for the purpose of marching on Washington and overthrowing the Government.

CORRECT EVIDENCE

Senator Dickstein, vice-chairman of the Committee, declared, following the hearing at which General Butler gave evidence: "From present indications General Butler's evidence is correct."

He went on to explain that he meant that General Butler's evidence coincided in fact and detail with information gathered during many weeks past by the Committee's secret agents.

"The indications are," the Senator went on, "that some rather important personages have been setting forth ideas which are distinctly un-American."

BROKERS' BACKING

Mr. Gerald Macguire, Wall Street bond salesman, to-day denounced as ridiculous the reports that he had conferred with General Butler as the agent of a group of wealthy New Yorkers, some of them brokers, who wanted General Butler to lead a Fascist dictatorship movement. The theory was that the financial backing of the Fascist adventure would come from Wall Street.—*United Press*.

LONG SILENCE

New York, Nov. 20.

General Smedley Butler gave evidence for two hours to-day before the Senate Committee investigating charges that he had been approached with an offer to lead a Fascist coup d'etat.

The suggestion was that General Butler had been approached by a spokesman on behalf of a group

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END OF ENGLAND'S SLUMS IN SIGHT

GOVERNMENT SPEEDING PRODIGIOUS WORK

Although the country is right behind the Government and Sir Hilton Young, the Minister of Health, in their crusade to end slumdom, there have of late been instances, in the Press and on the platform, of uninformed and misleading criticism of the way adopted and the rate of progress which is being achieved.

The simple, irrefutable facts about what is being achieved, together with revealing figures, which Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry, was able to put forward on behalf of his chief, Sir Hilton Young (in the Minister's absence on a tour in the North of England), in a special interview with a representative of *The Observer* recently, will therefore be welcomed.

"One accusation," Mr. Shakespeare said, "is that because 12,000 houses have been built in eleven months our campaign has failed. As well say that because Ponsford and Brown have made only 40 runs in the first hour of a Test match, the most difficult period, the side cannot make 500 runs."

"We realised at the Ministry, when the National Government came in, that the slums were not being tackled. Between 1890 and 1932 only 20,000 slum houses had been demolished. Then, in 1933, we issued our great appeal to the local authorities to tackle their slum problems within five years. From the start the Minister realised that the problem could not be tackled effectively without a survey, and we appealed to the local authorities to survey their individual slum problems. There had been no drive behind Mr. Greenwood's survey in 1930, and it did not help us. For instance, whereas 76,000 houses were estimated in 1930 by 145 authorities to be slum houses in response to Mr. Greenwood's appeal, the same authorities gave to us a figure of 172,200."

RECONNAISSANCE
"We adopted the old military principle that time spent on reconnaissance is never wasted. The survey we made fully justified our expectations. The White Paper was issued in March, 1934, and the campaign really started last spring. "The clearing of the slums must of necessity be a somewhat slow process, particularly in the first year. With your programme in front of you and working as quickly as possible, it takes about a year for a local authority to deal with a particular area. Legal and administrative action under the machinery of the 1930 Act, even though it be speeded up, takes about a year, and nobody but a fool expected many houses to be built in the first year of our five-year plan. Actually more houses have been built in the first year than we anticipated."

"Our five-year programme is to demolish 281,417 houses, of which 75,000 will be dealt with as individual houses, and the balance as houses in slum clearances. It will build in their place 296,072 houses, and to move from slum conditions 1,297,000 people."

FOUR STAGES
"There are four stages in the clearance of slums. There is the resolution passed by the council in respect of the area, there is the order submitted to the council in respect of the area, there is confirmation of the order by themselves after due inquiry into the state of the property and to see that justice is done to the owners, and, fourthly, there is approval for re-housing, the granting of which means that nothing can stand in the way of the required houses being built."

"The Ministry estimate that the rate per month must be about 600 houses in respect of each of these four processes. During the last six months the average has been well maintained, and, latterly, exceeded. For example, 27,000 houses have been included in the second stage (orders submitted) in the six months ended September 30, an average of 4,500 a month. As regards re-housing, the annual rate of the submission of orders is 54,000, more probably because acceleration is curbing all the time. The acceleration has been nearly four-fold compared with a year ago, and the acceleration increases all the time. "As regards re-housing, the annual stage, in the six months ended September 30, 22,000 replacement houses were approved, which gives a rate, with no more acceleration, of 44,000 new houses. These figures show that in the second year the campaign is not slower than the first, and the peak will not be reached until the third year, when a number of houses built will be under construction, to give 50,000 completed houses in a year. Even in September last—only six months after the campaign opened—when the number of houses under construction was not expected to be considerable, for the reasons I have given, 19,000 houses were actually under construction."

MAINTAINING AVERAGE.
"Take another test. To maintain an average of 50,000 houses a year, on the assumption that a house takes between seven and nine months to build, at any one moment 450,000 houses must be under construction, to give 50,000 completed

EXPANSION OF INDUSTRY

ENORMOUS SOVIET MOTOR FACTORY

Moscow, Nov. 10.

The Soviet Government will have the largest factory in the world for the manufacture of motorcars in 1937, it is claimed here, if its present plans for the enlargement of the existing Stalin plant, formerly the Amo works, in Moscow, are realised.

The Stalin plant now covers 225 acres, but its area after the reconstruction already started will be 1,250 acres. Its output of 31,000 trucks and buses a year will be increased to 100,000 trucks, buses and passenger cars, and the personnel will expand from 25,000 to 100,000.—*United Press*.

60,000 ACRES BOUGHT FOR A FEW KNIVES

This, the copy sent to the Colonial Office, is written in a scholarly hand and begins in due form, "Be it known to all persons that we, Jagajaga Jagajaga Jagajaga, being the principal chief, and also Bungee Yanyan (there are several others...), being the chiefs of a certain native tribe hereinafter mentioned, and in consideration of 20 pairs of blankets, 30 tomahawks, 100 knives, 50 pairs of axes, 200 handkerchiefs, 100 pounds of flour, 6 shirts, and

A copy of the Treaty by which John Batman bought from the Australian Aborigines 600,000 acres of what is now Victoria for a parcel of blankets and knives is at present on view in the Public Records Office. Though not the original, it is the chief document in an exhibition arranged in connection with the Melbourne centenary. It is accompanied by a map showing "the site for a town" (Melbourne). Where the original is to be found is obscure, though it is, or was, in the British

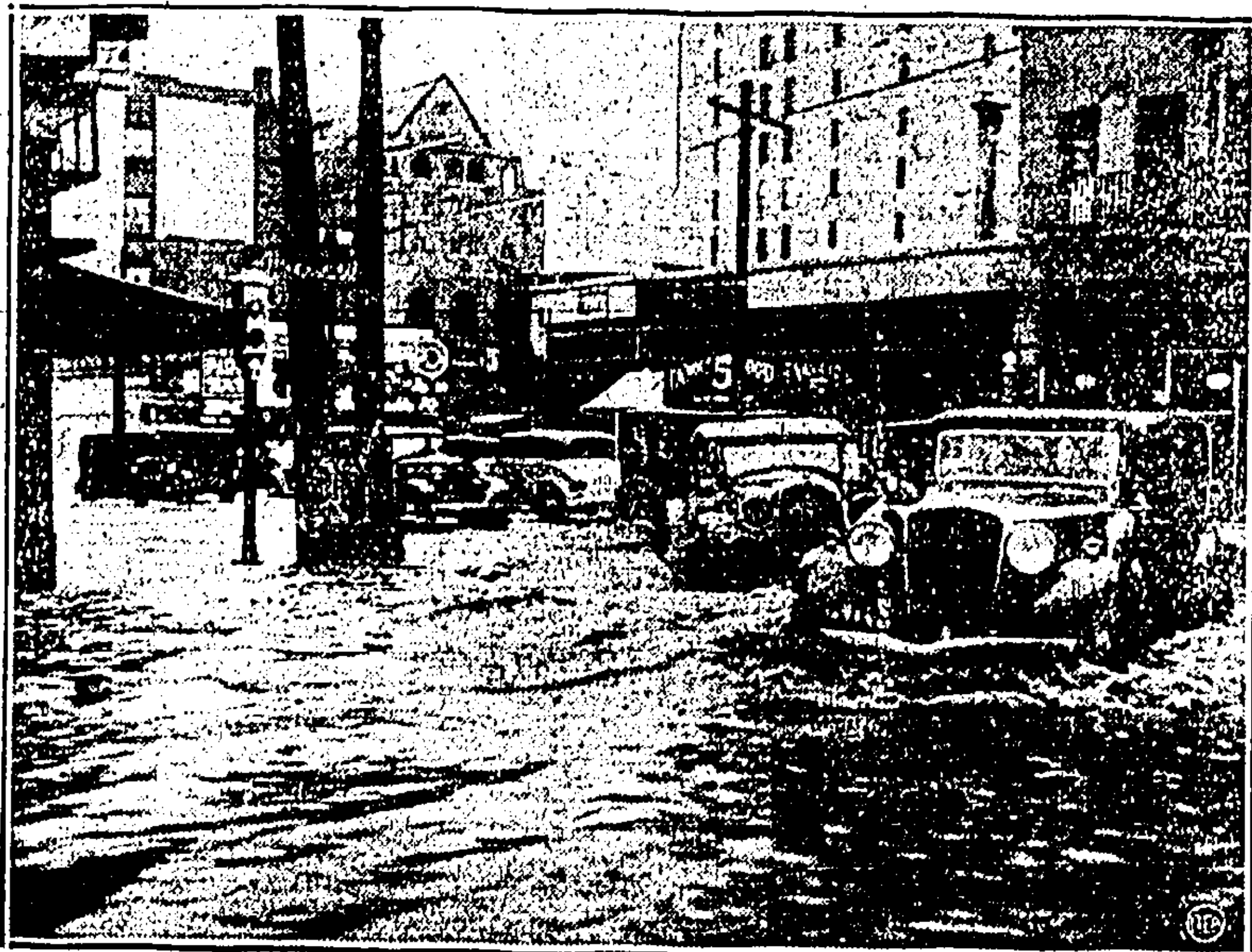


Mr. A. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, went to Peking to inspect conditions in North China recently. The picture shows Mr. Ariyoshi (second from the right), Mr. Ariyoshi (centre), and Mr. Naohisa Sato, Japanese Ambassador to France (second from left) just before leaving Shanghai.

EXPLORING AFRICA

An expedition has left Budapest under the leadership of Dr. Laszlo Benda, with the object of exploring unknown ground in north-east Africa. From Tripoli the expedition will travel to the mountain Tibesti, and then to Lake Tsad, where it is hoped that the problem of this lake's connection with the Nile basin may be solved.

Hovell and Hamilton Hume, who set off in 1824 from Lake George, New South Wales. Their map is like a wedge thrust into unknown country. They began by crossing mountains and then met a river which, says the map, is a hundred yards wide. So they crossed over and called it after Hume. They found at first rich alluvial plains and promising land. Then mountains crossed their path. They are a long way from Lake George now and tired. They call it Disappointment Range. Mountains in front, impenetrable jungle on the flank, but they get through somehow and reach "Port Phillip" called by the native Jiljong. They ended their journey at the sea and, had they but known it, by the bit of what was to be the capital of the new continent.



Flood, tornado, and earthquakes combined in an assault on Los Angeles and suburbs to leave death and wreckage behind. This picture shows the torrent raging through a city street, with water up to automobile hubcaps. Six dead, and others are still missing; a ship was sunk; houses unroofed; and heavy loss caused by the flood waters in business buildings.



The above photographs were taken at the Cenotaph in Shanghai when Shanghai paid tribute to the heroes of the Great War. Upper left shows a group of British Naval Officers standing in front of the Memorial, while the picture on the upper right shows representatives of various civil bodies and organisations standing with floral tributes at the foot of the Memorial, while on the lower right is Brigadier-General E. B. Macnaghten, C.M.C. delivering his impressive Remembrance Day address. Centre is a view of the War Memorial, with the crowd in the foreground.



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Hongkong, 18th November, 1934.

KOWLOON PARKING PROSECUTION

Case Against Officer Dismissed

The case in which Captain B. Dunlop, R. A. Mess, Kowloon, was summoned for causing an obstruction in the private car park on October 31, and failing to obey the instructions of Patrol Brown of the Automobile Association, was resumed before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning. Owing to some doubt in the evidence, the defendant was discharged.

Traffic-Inspector Nicolls appeared for the prosecution, while Captain Dunlop conducted his own defence.

Defendant stated that on the day in question he was going to Hongkong to keep an appointment. He had previously parked his car near the railings, and on this occasion he noticed that the white lines had been covered over with gravel, but as there was ample room for the other cars to get out, he parked his car there.

When he was walking towards the ferry, and was about 10 yards past the A. A. box, he was called and saw a man whom he took to be a mechanic. Defendant had the impression that this man had just come out of the A. A. box. This man said to him: "Excuse me, sir; if you park your car there, the other cars cannot get out," or words to that effect.

Defendant took this as a statement and not as a request to move his car. At that time there were about 35 cars away from the car, and the defendant's opinion of the man was not in a position to judge whether the car could be got out or not, so he told the man to go and have a look, and that there was plenty of room for the other cars to get out. To this the man touched his hat and said "O.K."

Defendant further stated that if the man had stated that he was an official on duty, he (defendant) would have come back and removed the car.

Evidence was also given by Traffic Inspector Nicolls and Mr. C. H. Dodson, Supervisor, of the Automobile Association.

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Shanghai, Nov. 21.

An interesting ceremony took place aboard H. M. S. Kent yesterday when Admiral Sir Frederick Dreyer, Commander-in-Chief of the China Station, on behalf of the Lord Commissioners of the Admiralty, presented Mr. E. S. Wilkinson with a beautiful silver plaque in recognition of the valuable service he has rendered to the personnel of His Majesty's Navy through his connection with the Union Jack Club.

The Union Jack Club in Shanghai is one of the best known and liked service men's organizations in the Far East.

The presentation was made as a sequel to a report in which Sir Frederick informed the Lord Commissioners of the unbounded enthusiasm and energy displayed by Mr. Wilkinson in keeping the Club running.—*Reuter.*

BROKERS PLOT FASCIST COUP

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of wealthy New York brokers, headed by Mr. Gerald MacGuire. Mr. MacGuire, interviewed today, hotly denied the allegation.

BIGGER THAN BUTLER
Senator Dickstein, vice-chairman of the Committee, announced there would probably be a public hearing on October 26, and added: "We will have bigger names than Butler's here."

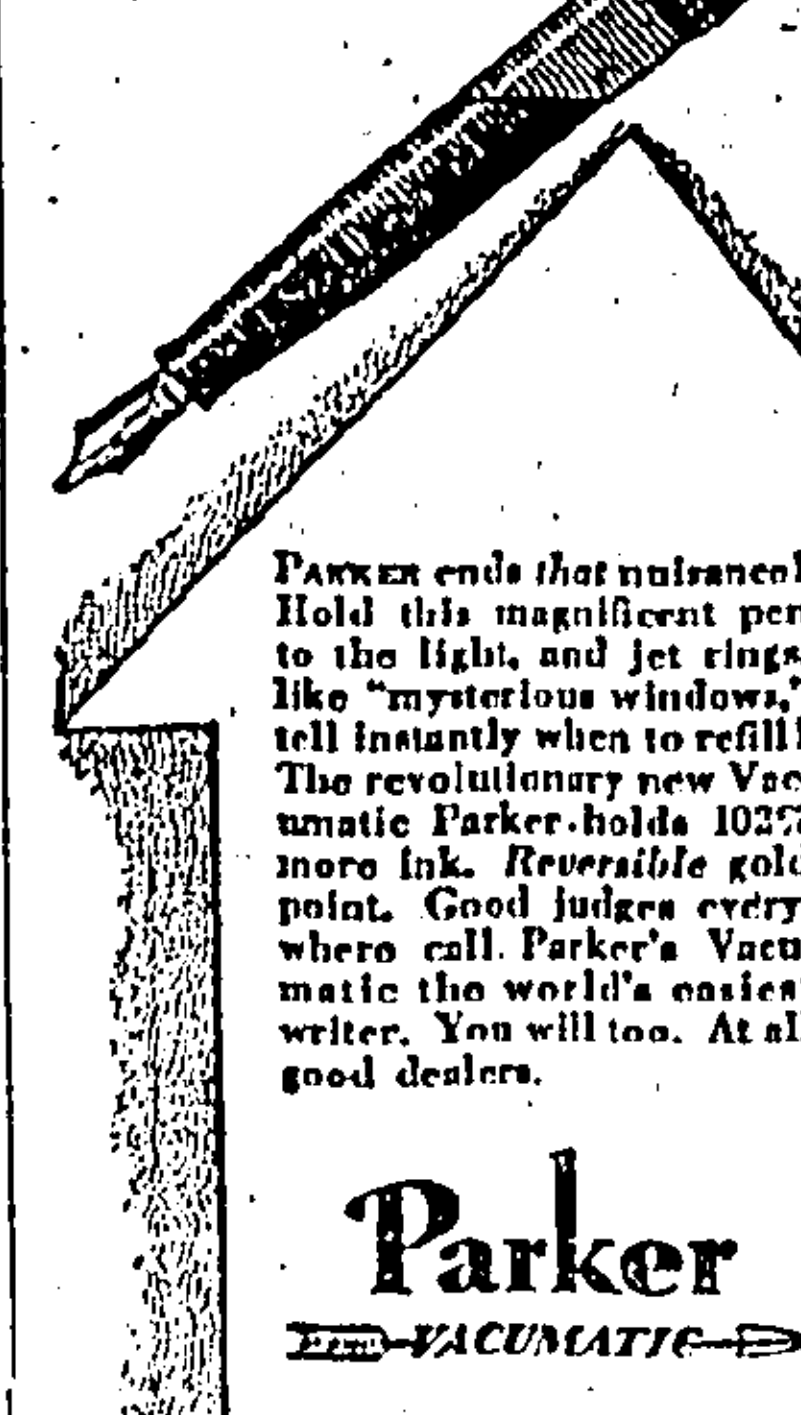
Mr. John MacCormack, chairman of the Committee, emphasised that General Butler had given his evidence voluntarily and said that he was co-operating wholeheartedly in the investigations of the plot, reports of which had been received from other sources also.

NAMED AGAIN
General Butler's evidence, according to newspaper stories, was that he was offered \$3,000,000 to lead a march on Washington and overthrow the Government.

He repeatedly stated that Mr. MacGuire made this offer on behalf of a syndicate of brokers, but as the agent and not the prime mover, the newspapers allege.

Entering the Committee room, where he confronted General Butler, Mr. MacGuire suggested blandly that General Butler's story was nothing more than a publicity stunt.—*Reuter.*

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CULTURAL SOCIETY

Nanking, Nov. 20.

A meeting presided over by Mr. Hau Pol-hung, well-known Chinese artist, was held this evening for the purpose of making preliminary arrangements for the establishment of a Sino-Italian Cultural Central News.

Society along similar lines to the Sino-British Cultural Society. The texts of telegrams setting out the objects of this society, one addressed to Signor Mussolini and the other addressed to Mr. Liu Wen-tao Chinese Ambassador to Rome, were read at the meeting.

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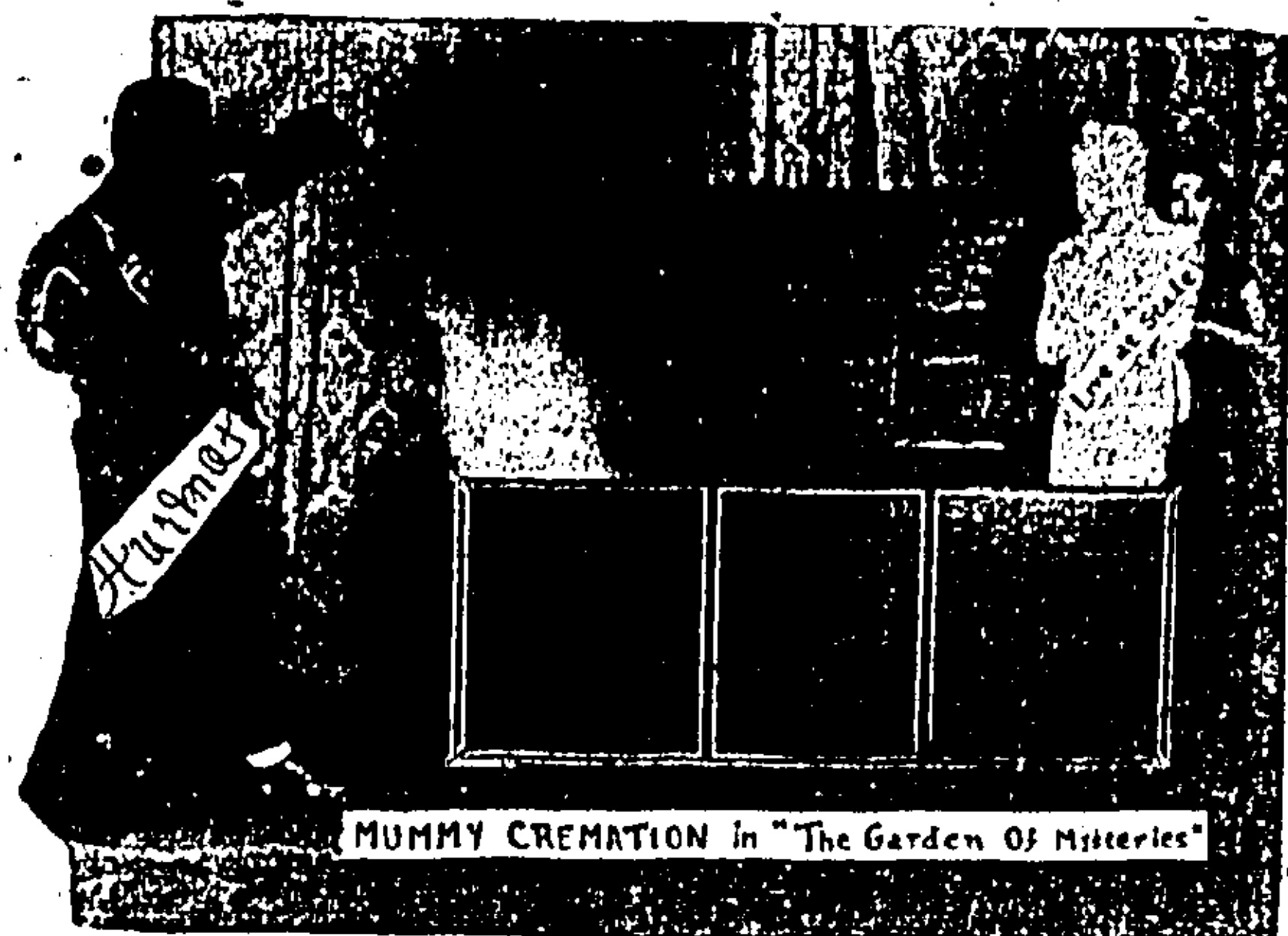
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Sequel To Police Visit

An fine of \$100 was imposed on
Lothar Hammann, licensee of
Jimmy's Kitchen, Nos. 42-46 Lock-
hart Road, by Mr. W. Schofield at
the Central Magistracy this
morning for selling liquor during
prohibited hours on November 15.
Mr. T. Murphy, A.S.P., prosecut-
ed, and Mr. A. el Arculli appeared
on behalf of the defendant.

In admitting that drinks had
been served, Mr. Arculli stated
that defendant was not in the
restaurant at the time but he had
always given strict instructions
to his employees not to serve
drinks after hours.

Although the summons stated
that the offence was committed
at 10.40 p.m., Mr. Arculli said he
would say that the time would be
nearer 10.10 p.m. because the
restaurant clock had been put
forward half an hour. A police
officer entered the restaurant in
company with a sailor. The
latter asked for a drink sometime
after 9 p.m., whether at the
instigation of the officer or not.
Mr. Arculli could not say. He
was served by the boy, who did
so because he was afraid of trou-
ble, which had occurred before.
The boy did refuse later on, and
Mr. Arculli submitted that the
officer should have stopped the
sale when the sailor insisted.

Mr. Arculli said defendant had
never before committed a breach
of the Ordinance, and in view of
this, he would ask his Worship to
administer a caution.

WHAT HAPPENED.

Mr. Murphy remarked that the
outline given by Mr. Arculli did
not entirely agree with the
evidence that could be brought
before the Court. The time of
the offence was not as early as
Mr. Arculli made out. The
officer and the sailor went to the
restaurant at Mr. Murphy's
instigation. They entered the
dining hall and asked for food
and were served. Before the
meal had been consumed, the
sailor asked for a drink. The
waiter replied "Not here; you
might be seen by the police."

After the meal, the sailor again
asked for a drink. They were told
to go inside a room at the back,
and there they were served with
drinks. They had two bottles of
beer each. There were four
American sailors and another
British sailor in the same room
drinking beer.

ON PROBATION.

The police action was taken as
the result of information received
that drinks were sold on the pre-
mises to Service-men out of hours.
It was a serious offence to ac-
commodate Service-men out of
hours in Wanchai. Mr. Murphy
also pointed out that defendant
should at the time of the offence
be on his best behaviour because
at the last meeting of the Licens-
ing Board on November 7, defen-
dant's case was deferred for a
time. This period was, so to
speak, his probationary period,
and if he was prepared during this
time to sell drinks openly out of



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TWO CARS IN COLLISION

Sanitary Inspector Kerrison was
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shortly before 10.30 o'clock.

He was driving his Austin Seven,
No. 1289, in a westerly direction
along Tai Hang Road and when
near the intersection of Tin Hau
Temple Road, a Willys Knight car,
No. 2616, crossed the thoroughfare.
The cars collided. The right mud-
guard and front wheel of the Austin
were buckled, while damage was
done to the other car's left rear
mudguard.

The larger car was conveying
two Chinese women passengers and
a child. The child's leg was
injured, but not seriously.

The Austin Seven was brought to
a standstill in the middle of the
road.

hours, one would hesitate, Mr.
Murphy went on, to think what
would happen if his case was not
deferred.

WHY DEFERRED.

Mr. Arculli interposed and re-
marked that since Mr. Murphy
had brought up the question of
defendant's case being deferred
by the Licensing Board, it was
only fair to add that the selling of
drinks had nothing to do with it.
The case was deferred because of
an allegation against one of de-
fendant's employees regarding
smuggling.

In answer to his Worship, Mr.
Murphy said defendant had a
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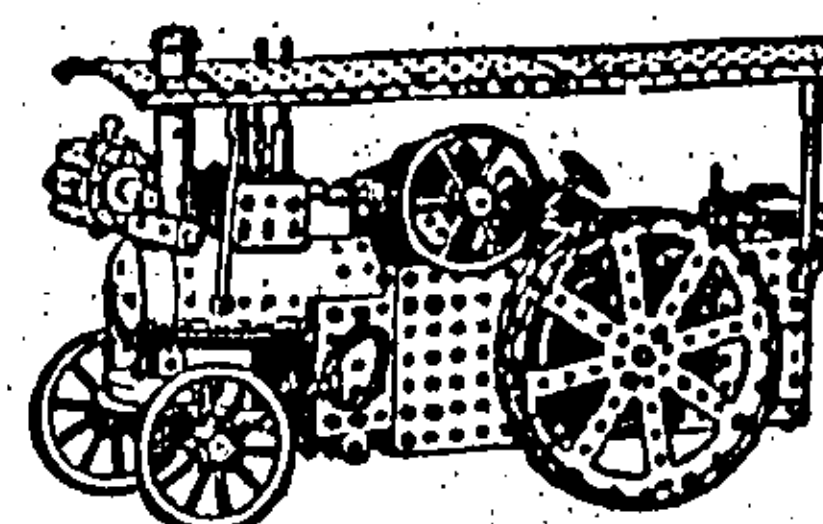
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PIGS AND POULTRY

A concise but essentially constructive report has been issued by the Committee appointed to advise on practical steps for improving and extending the breeding of pigs and poultry in the New Territories. Two most desirable purposes will be served if the recommendations made are followed by appropriate action. In the first place, two industries of real value will be developed, to the manifest advantage both of those engaging in them and the consuming public; and, secondly, this Colony will be placed on a more self-supporting basis in the supply of the necessities of life. The extent to which we are dependent on outside sources is shown by the fact that some 350,000 pigs, valued at ten million dollars, are imported every year, whilst three million dollars' worth of live poultry and about two million dollars' worth of eggs are brought in every year. The production for purposes of local consumption is only an infinitesimal percentage of these figures. It is obvious, therefore, that there is ample scope for the development of both industries. At the present time, the breeding both of pigs and poultry in the New Territories is carried out on most haphazard lines, with little, if any, organised method. Apart from the innate conservatism of the breeders, poverty is the main factor in hindering development. In the case of pig-breeding, long before the animals are ready for slaughter they pass through numerous hands, each raking off a little profit, simply because the original breeders have not the wherewithal to keep them for fattening and are consequently forced to sell in order to raise a little ready money. There is thus great need, if what should be a paying industry is to be properly developed, of some scheme of credit facilities being devised in their interests. Similar considerations apply in the case of poultry, and, in both industries there is need for more scientific methods both in breeding and in the battle against disease. The Committee recommends a modest beginning in plans for improving the position, starting with the appointment of an expert in husbandry and later leading to the creation of a small Farm Board which would co-ordinate the agricultural activities of the Colony. Such a step,

NOTES OF THE DAY

THRIVING BUSINESS

Everyone knows that thousands of dollars, bags and boxes full of Chinese silver, are being smuggled out of China daily. According to a most reliable source this Chinese silver money is pouring into Hongkong in a steady stream, at the rate of approximately \$1,000,000 a day. The theory is that it is re-exported, either to England or America. The reason for this flight of Chinese silver is obvious. The value of the metal in the dollar is greater than the value of the dollar itself, due to the fact that China has succeeded in preventing an advance in the value of her currency in proportion to the price rise of the metal. China placed an embargo on silver exports. Hence the activity of certain "merchants" who smuggle coins out of Chinese ports. As long as this price discrepancy remains, so long will the drain on China's silver resources continue. And unless something is done to check the smuggling the situation will become increasingly embarrassing. It may even be dangerous. The supply of Chinese silver is not inexhaustible.

GERMANY'S ROAD

There is a suggestion, according to cabled reports, that all is not well with the Nazi regime in Germany. There are mutterings among the Storm Troopers. Apparently they are incensed by certain restrictions placed upon them by Herr Goebbels, the Minister of Propaganda, and against General Goering, the Premier of Prussia, who is alleged to have been responsible for much of the "blood-letting" in the party last June. At the same time, there are alarmist reports published in Paris that the German army of 1935 will muster five and a half million men within a few days of mobilisation, that the armaments factories are speeding up their output and that a powerful air force can be put into action at a moment's notice. Then, too, there is the problem of the Saar, a potential menace to the peace of Europe, to bother the Hitler administration. It is a hard road the Third Reich travels, and the responsibility of his office must weigh heavily upon Herr Hitler. There are many who doubt this man's ability. But if he succeeds in overcoming the trouble within and if he avoids a clash beyond the German frontier during his tenure of office, he will be worthy of acclaim. Even though he fails to do these things it will be no proof that Hitler's genius is not genuine. The world should judge a man by what he tries to do, and the world is watching Hitler.

HITLER'S MISTAKE

It begins to look as if Herr Hitler made one of the major mistakes of his career in seeking to extend his influence to the pulpits of German churches, however. A man's political beliefs can be changed or silenced; his feelings on economic and social problems can be overridden or disregarded; but when you begin trying to coerce him in the field of religion, you are apt to stir up a great deal more trouble than you can handle. The German people accepted most of Herr Hitler's innovations docilely enough, but his interference in church matters has brought him nothing but criticism and defiance. What sort of omen all this may be for the future of Nazi rule is a question no man can answer just now. It is a safe guess, however, that the dictator would be very glad to find some way of dropping this issue—since it turned out to be so much "hotter" than he had expected.

coupled with the suggested improved means of communication by linking up outlying villages with the main roads, should greatly assist the attainment of the ends in view. Something has already been done in recent years, thanks to the advent of motor transport and schemes sponsored by the New Territories Agricultural Association, to improve marketing facilities, but much more is still possible in this direction. Bearing in mind the extent of the demand locally for pigs, poultry and eggs, it is self-evident that there is a huge market at the very doors of the New Territories breeder, if only he can be induced to adopt modern methods and is assured of some measure of financial assistance. The first necessity is to secure the services of an expert adviser on the subject, and, once he is engaged, the whole question can be explored in all its aspects and appropriate steps taken to meet local needs. The Government's sympathy with the project seems assured, and it is therefore to be expected that the Committee's proposals will be put into effect without undue delay.

GIANT AIRCRAFT TO SPAN PACIFIC

By A. EDDY

It was announced on Monday in the *Hongkong Telegraph* that the Pan-American Airways would shortly send a giant Sikorsky flying boat across the Pacific as an experiment in connection with the proposed trans-Pacific air mail passenger service. It is believed that the big machine will take off from Los Angeles, for Hongkong early in the New Year.

The Brazilian Clipper, which is scheduled to visit Hongkong in the beginning of next year, a few weeks ago completed one of the most significant commercial flights in the history of aviation, flying from Miami, Florida, to Buenos Aires in five days, clipping two days from the fastest travel time between Buenos Aires, Rio de Janeiro and the United States.

The inaugural flight of the Brazilian Clipper to Buenos Aires was in the nature of a trade mission in order to improve inter-American relations for the mutual commercial advancement of the United States and Latin America, and its nineteen passengers included Mr. Eugene Vidal, Director of Air Commerce of the United States, representing the U.S. Government, Mr. Roy Howard, Chairman of the Scripps-Howard Newspapers, and executives of the *United Press*, *Associated Press*, *Hearst papers*, *Chicago American*, *Baltimore Sun*, *North American Newspaper Alliance*, and Mr. J. T. Trippe, President and General Manager of the Pan-American Airways, and others.

The city of Rio de Janeiro and the people of Brazil exhibited unusual interest in the great Clipper, and the Presidents of both Brazil and Uruguay attended the colourful ceremonies the following day when Senhora Vargas, wife of the President of Brazil, formally baptized the aerial giant and dedicated the great ship to the service of humanity and welfare of the Americas. Describing the significance of the maiden flight of the Brazilian Clipper and likening its present flight, and its trade significance to the early trips of the glorious old time sailing "clippers," Mr. Trippe expressed his deep appreciation for the support the Brazilian Government has given to the development of international air service and renewed the Pan-American pledge of unceasing effort toward the furtherance of friendly ties and commercial relations between the American nations.

A demonstration unparalleled in enthusiasm greeted the Clipper in B.A. as Buenos Aires is familiarly called. An official holiday was declared and all business suspended in order to enable the gay South American city to welcome the flying

boat. The party was immediately swept into a programme of official entertainment which included a reception by the President of Argentina, Sr. Justo, at Government House, and a banquet at which Captain Marcos Zar, Director of Naval Aviation of Argentina was host, at the American Club.

After two days spent in Argentina, the Brazilian Clipper started on its return flight to the North American continent after a visit which, the Argentine press had stated, far surpassed in positive results all the "good-will" missions of recent years between the United States and Argentina. The Brazilian Clipper reached Miami on the fifth day after leaving Buenos Aires and covering the distance of 1,900 miles between the South American and North American continents in 12 hours, thus enabling the passengers who were in Port of Spain, (Trinidad, British territory) on Thursday, to breakfast in New York on Friday.

Despite the restricted transport conditions under which the flight was made, the Brazilian Clipper accomplished the approximate 7,500 miles southward run in 55 hours, and the northward run in 47 hours flying time, the entire journey of approximately 15,000 miles occupying 15 days with two days stop in Rio and B.A. For the entire flight an average speed of 155 miles was maintained against wind conditions which were for the most part unfavourable.

Before the Brazilian Clipper had undertaken the South America flight it shattered all existing world records for transport seaplanes which were previously held in Europe, when she carried some time in August last, a full transport load and flew 1,242 miles non-stop at an average speed of 157.5 miles per hour, on its final acceptance test at the Sikorsky factory in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

The above account is the gist of a report describing the B.A. flight of the Brazilian Clipper, in the last issue of the *Pan-American Airways Magazine*.

Since its inception in 1928 up to July 31, 1934, the planes of the Pan-American Airways carried 307,995 passengers and almost 17 million pounds of mail and cargo, and there is no doubt that Hongkong, figuring in the Trans-Pacific Airway System as the Gateway to China, a country occupying one twelfth of the surface of the globe and harbouring within its confines more than one fifth of the entire human race, is destined to derive incalculable benefits as one of the most important airports of the world.



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The Very Idea!

BLUE WOMEN
By George

NOW is the time for all of us to contribute something new and useful for the New Year and, so that nobody can say we didn't think of it first, we are going to advocate police women for Hongkong.

Say what you like about it, the idea is a good one. The first time we met one of these blue coated Circos in Piccadilly we fell for her.

There's something peculiarly solid and domestic about 13 stones of female in goshes flicking gracefully at the precocious pedestrian with her truncheon as she surges along.

We already have our Eva—what about our Evie? We ourselves can imagine nothing nicer than being arrested at midnight by one of these graceful girls and sinking dreamily into her safe custody.

Of course she might take us to the station—what a colli! But we are convinced that many a romantic heart beats beneath the cheap serge affected by these bobby-haired, red-lipped vamps and that a large gosh would forsake the straight and narrow for love's rosy path.

As Lord Trenchard said to the female recruit: Life is not a bed of roses. Get your man—even if you have to arrest him.

We spoke to one policewoman before coming out East. She was holding up a quarter of a mile of traffic on Tottenham Court Road while she powdered her nose. A few buses crept by every time she changed hands but we calculated on ten minutes or so before our bus would be able to get by.

"Can you tell us the way to the British Museum?" we asked in Cantonese Cockney.

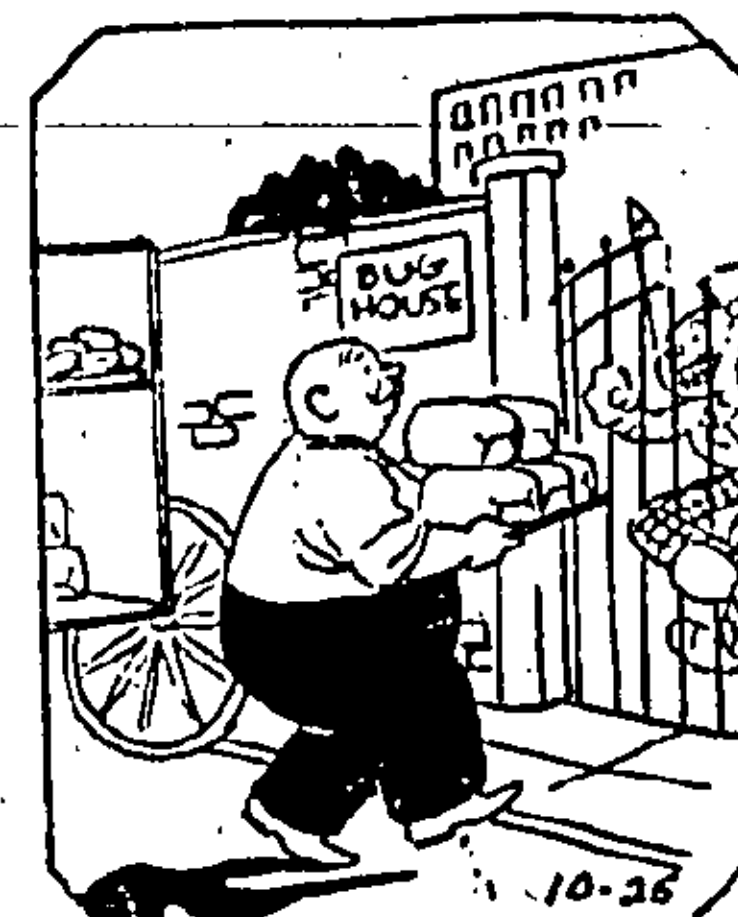
"Never heard of it," she replied blandly and changed hands. A couple of cars crept by before she realised her error.

"Don't you get tired of holding up traffic all day?" we asked ingratiatingly.

"I'd get more tired of holding a baby," she replied with a gesture of dismissal which afforded escape to a lorry and brought our bus five minutes nearer.

She turned the blue eye of the law on us and whispered thickly, "If you think you can make a fool of me you're mistaken. You're holding me up now. Get along!"

There was nothing else for it so we tickled her under the arms till our bus got alongside and jumped in.

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By Juliet Lowell.

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Yours truly,
Sam Can.
(signed)

Boy, Oh Boy!

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Elaine Wart.
(signed)

VARIED DEBATE

INDIAN POLICY IN REVIEW

PREMIER'S SPEECH

London, Nov. 20. There was a large attendance when the House of Commons re-assembled this afternoon, and members soon settled down to the work of the new and important session.

The address to the Throne was moved and seconded, as is usual, by private member, on this occasion Mr. N. K. Lindsay and Colonel Kerr, and both the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. George Lansbury, and the Prime Minister were early speakers in the debate which followed.

Mr. Lansbury, in connection with the Government's proposals outlined in the Speech from the Throne, emphasised that despite the great increase in people in work, unemployment was still widespread. He argued that employers and employed should together try to evolve means of reducing hours and employing extra work people without reducing wages or profits.

WORKING FOR PEACE.

The Prime Minister, reviewing the foreign situation, said there was no doubt that events had happened in Europe during the last 18 months which had not increased confidence, but had been the cause of great concern between nations. The Government had made known their determination to carry on the co-operative work at Geneva through the League, and would continue to further the cause of peace.

Referring to the Disarmament Conference, Mr. MacDonald said its position, although certainly not despairing, was not too hopeful. They were still determined to get something substantial and international out of its deliberations.

Turning to India, the Prime Minister said the Government would have to give the House full opportunities for discussion, but, in saying that, he did not mean licence. They hoped every question in the report would come before the House and be discussed, but he did not believe the House would allow them to give a rolling and roving commission day after day and week after week.

COMING TO MATURITY

"The Indian situation," he said, "is one that has been steadily maturing on account of the education and political example we have given to India. Whatever one's views may be, it is sheer folly and blindness to believe that our relations with India, our policy pursued towards India through generations, and the pledges we have given to India, would never come to maturity. They have come to maturity now. This moment is not created by any party, either in India or here. It has been created by the policy of this country and its relations to its Indian Empire."

He hoped they would be given an opportunity of building a structure which would take its place among those great monuments of political wisdom which mark the evolution of the Imperial constitutional fabric. He was convinced that this would be the result of the deliberations of the House.

NOT AGGRESSIVE

Referring to defence questions, the Premier said the London naval agreement gave them power to call the escalator clause into operation. This they had not done, despite many opportunities presented, because they wanted to demonstrate clearly and definitely to every Power in the world their desire that other countries should follow in the steps that Britain had taken. They had proved to the world that their armament was not offensive or aggressive, and if it was to be strengthened, as it would have to be, on account of the nation's needs, he believed no-one would accuse them of having taken such a course to increase their offensive power. On the question of trade, the Premier said the Government would continue their present policy, which had resulted in such good effect on Britain's trade position. They were subsidising shipping because they were being competed with by subsidies given by other countries. All they were proposing to do was to establish some measure of equality.

"Here and now, in this way, the Government has let it be known to these countries," said Mr. MacDonald, "that as soon as they are willing to come to arrangements that will be fair, we are prepared to come to that arrangement."—*British Wireless.*



Bridal group taken after the wedding yesterday of Miss Phoebe Kotewall and Mr. W. A. Hung. (Photo: A. Fong.)

FOG SPOILS PAGEANT

KING RIDES IN CLOSED CAR

PARLIAMENT'S REOPENING

London, Nov. 20. Although fog today robbed London of its pageant, and the King and Queen drove to Westminster for the State opening of Parliament in a closed car instead of in the great gilded coach with postillions and outriders, large crowds nevertheless lined the route and loudly cheered their Majesties, who, in order to mitigate the people's disappointment, had given special orders that the car should proceed slowly.

In the House of Lords, where the King delivered his Speech from the Throne, the ceremonial had all its customary mellow dignity.

The Duke of Kent, by virtue of his recently-conferred Peerage, was present for the first time and sat near his brothers, the Prince of Wales and the Duke of York.

The King's Speech took only a few minutes, after which their Majesties, followed by their sons, left the Chamber. They were again loudly cheered as they drove back to Buckingham Palace.—*British Wireless.*

ROYAL WEDDING PLANS

BRIDE IN LONDON TO-DAY

London, Nov. 20. The Duke of Kent, who tomorrow goes to Dover to meet Princess Marina and her parents, intends, in the event of fog, to leave London by train much earlier than that arranged, in order to be certain of arriving before the boat.

London hospitals with which the Duke is officially connected

FREE COINAGE OF SILVER

Senator Wheeler Continues Fight

Washington, Nov. 20. The split between the so-called "silver bloc" members in the Senate was re-emphasised to-day when Senator Wheeler stated that he would re-introduce his bill to authorise the free coinage of silver at a ratio of not more than 16 to one with gold.

He would continue to fight for this measure, he said, with the support of a strong Senate following.—*Reuter.*

CULTURAL TREASURE

CHINA'S GIFT TO CIVILISATION

Shanghai, Nov. 21. China's greatest contribution to cultural advancement during the past twenty years has been the opening of museums for scholars and all those genuinely interested in the relics there, declared Dr. J. C. Ferguson, well-known authority on Chinese affairs, when addressing an audience here.

He said that in 1914 when the Government first brought certain cultural objects from the Jehol palace and placed them in the Peking palaces there was opened an era that brought Chinese and western civilisations closer together.

Dr. Ferguson urged the opening of more museums. He said that great treasures brought to Shanghai from Peking were concealed in a godown—a waste of cultural advancement.—*Reuter.*

are to receive portions of the royal wedding cake of which there will be five.—*British Wireless.*

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WE CAN NEVER BE GRIEVED FOR THEIR MISERIES WHO ARE THOROUGHLY WICKED, AND HAVE THEREBY JUSTLY CALLED THEIR CALAMITIES ON THEMSELVES.—*Dryden.*

Lee, Ho, summoned by Revenue Officer A. Grimitt at the Central Magistracy for keeping a heroin diwan in Wing Sing Street, was given the option of a \$500 fine or six months' imprisonment.

From Messrs. Gilman and Co. we have received a copy of the October number of *Modern Motoring*, which contains much of general interest as well as articles on motoring subjects. A special feature is made of the Humber and Hillman programmes for 1935.

Cheung Wah-kit, aged 21 years, was fatally injured when he alighted from a moving tram in Queen's Road East near the Naval Dockyard yesterday afternoon. The man was removed to the Government Civil Hospital in an unconscious condition and died last night.

U Yak-kwan, manager of the Kau Yue Fong Theatre, was fined \$100 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning for storing 100 reels of cinema films in a place other than a store-room approved by the authorities. Mr. J. C. Fitzhenry, Deputy Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, prosecuted.

At the Soldiers' and Sailors' Home to-night, at 8.30 p.m., Professor G. A. C. Herklotz is to give a lecture on "Glimpses of Nature in Hongkong."

For failing to make an import declaration within seven days, Kwong Tung-hing, of 24 Gilman Bazaar, was fined \$25 by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning on a summons in respect of 52 baskets of groundnut oil imported from Tsing-tao on the steamer Sinking on September 20.

On a charge of stealing a letter from a private post box at 85H, Hennessy Road on November 10, Chan Pak was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour at Central Magistracy this morning. For receiving the letter he was fined \$50 or an additional one month, and for being in unlawful possession of a letter in Lockhart Road another six weeks, the sentences being consecutive.

Mr. T. P. K. Kemble, of Messrs. Wilkinson & Grist, represented the police this morning when, at the Central Magistracy, Ho Lam Sang, Pun Fong and Kwan Yu, alias Kwan Ng, appeared on remand. Mr. Kemble asked that a further charge of assaulting Ma Tau-nam with intent to rob in High Street on November 16 be preferred and that the man be remanded to Monday. Other charges might be brought later. Mr. Schofield the Magistrate, gave his assent.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:—

Banks.
Hongkong Bank, \$1616 5/8.
H.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg) £135 1/4.
Chartered Bank, \$16 n.
Mercantile Bank, A and B, \$32 n.
Mercantile Bank C, \$13 1/2 n.
East of Asia Bank, \$93 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$420 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$285 s.
Union Ins., \$622 1/2 n.
China Underwriters, \$110 b.
China Fire, \$610 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$237 1/2 n.
Internat'l Assoc., \$5.60 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$41 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 1/4 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$80 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$33 n.
Shell's (Bearer), \$44 1/2 n.
Union Waterboats, \$18 1/4 n.

Mining.
Antamoks, 60 cts. b.
Baincocks, \$37 n.
Banguito Gold, 46 cts. n.
Benguets, \$13.75 n.
Benguets, Exploration, 10 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 10 cts. n.
Gold Creek, 26c sub. div.
Gold River, 21 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$2 1/2 n.
Ilogons, \$6.30 n.
Salacot, 16 cts. n.
Kailan, 19 1/8 n.
Langkats (Single), \$17 n.
Shui Explorations, \$5.10 n.
Shui Lungs, \$5 n.
Rauks, \$11 1/4 n.
Venz Goldfield, \$5 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$109 n.
H.K. Docks, \$123 1/4 n.
Providents (old), \$1.65 n.
Providents (new), 50 cts. n.
Hongkew (old), \$31 1/2 n.
New Engineerings, \$5 3/4 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$123 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, \$10.15 n.
Shai Cottons, (old), \$7 1/2 n.
Shai Cottons, (new), \$40 1/2 n.
Zong Sing, \$9.40 n.
Wing On Textiles, \$5 n.

Land, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$4.90 b. and sa.
H. K. Lands, \$51 1/4 1/2 sa.
H.K. Lands 4% debentures, 1 1/4 % prem. n.
Shai Lands, \$27 1/2 n.
Metropolitan Lands, \$13 n.
Humphreys, \$9 1/4 n.
H.K. Realities, \$4 1/2 n.
H.K. Realities, "A" Sh. \$100 n.
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.
China Realities, \$20 n.
China Realities, \$12 1/2 n.
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8.03-8.25 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital of Russian Songs by Serafin Strelkoff (Russian Baritone) accompanied at the Piano by Mrs. Nura Kania.

Programme
1. The Truth is suspected (from "The Life of Jean"). Glinka.

2. Ballad. A. Rubinstein.

3. Oh, You Sunshine. Slonoff.

4. The Two Giants. Stollpin.

5. The Star. Janikoff.

6. Down the street of Petersburg my Sweetheart is coming. Russian Dance Song.

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9-9.20 p.m. From the Studio.

A Talk on "Bimetallism" by Professor R. Robertson.

9.20-9.30 p.m. The Lerner String Quartet.

Gavotte—Transcription (Gluck).

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Quartet No. 1 in D Major—Finale Allegro (Dittersdorf).

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-9.55 p.m. From the Studio.

A Recital by Miss Elia Alves (Soprano) accompanied by Miss Maria Gomes, r.t.c.l. Flute Obligato—J. Sulzer.

Programme

1. Come per sereno—"Sormen-bula". Bellini.

2. Son vergin vezzosa—"Surlatin". Bellini.

3. Arias from "Lucia di Lammermoor". Donizetti.

(a) Ardon gl'incensai.

(b) Spargi d'amaro pianto. Tosti.

4. Ave Maria. Rossini.

5. Una voce poco fa "Il Barbiere de Sevilja". Rossini.

9.55-10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—When you've got a Little Spring Time.

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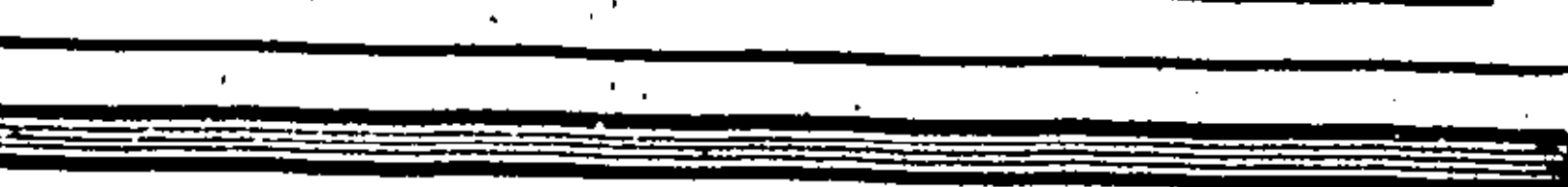
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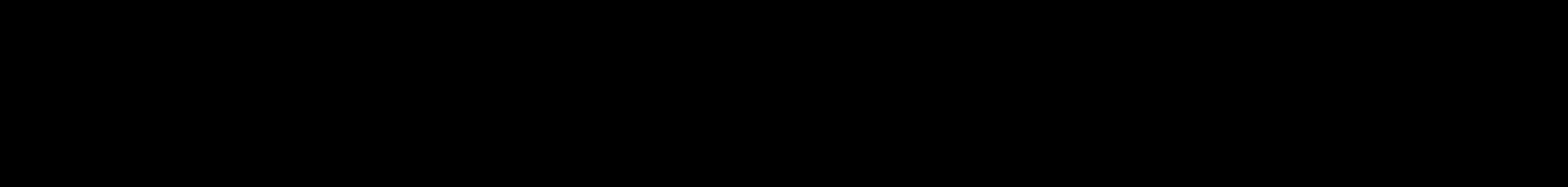
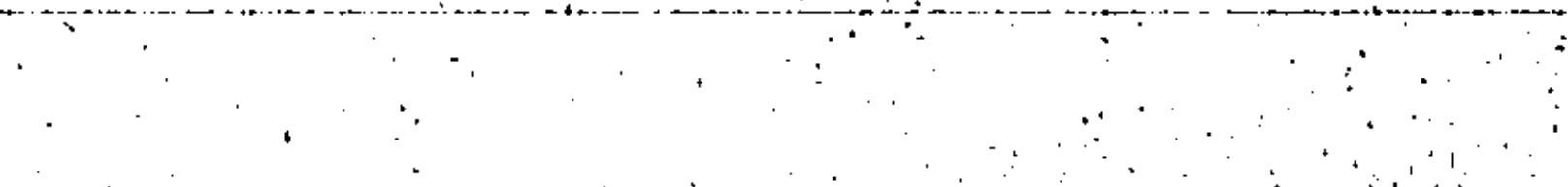
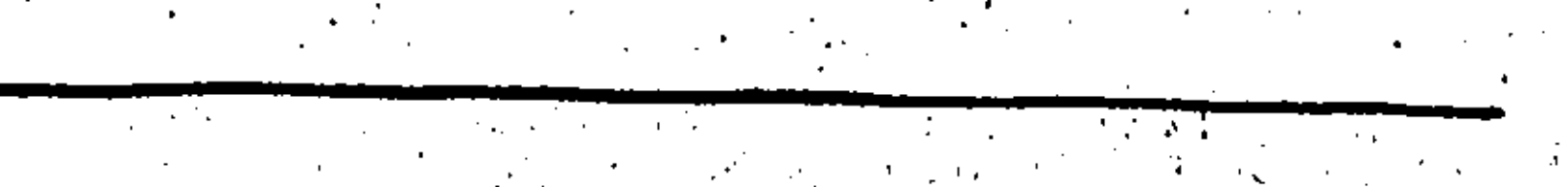
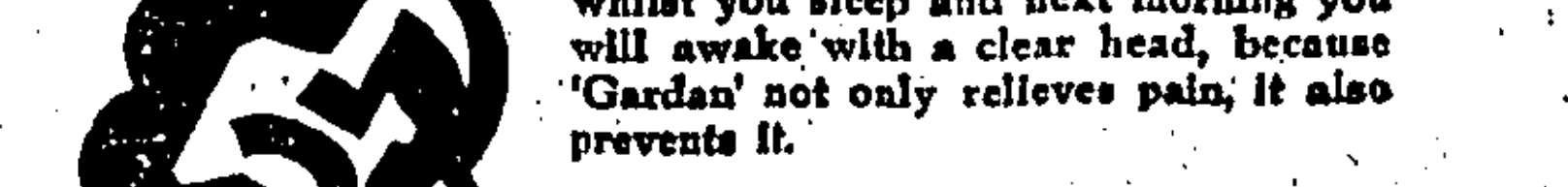
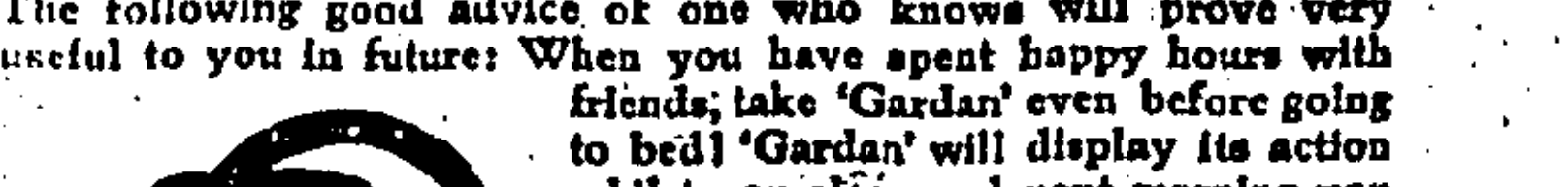
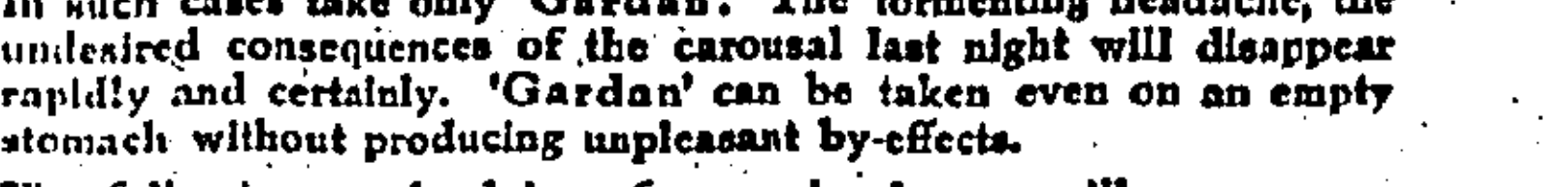
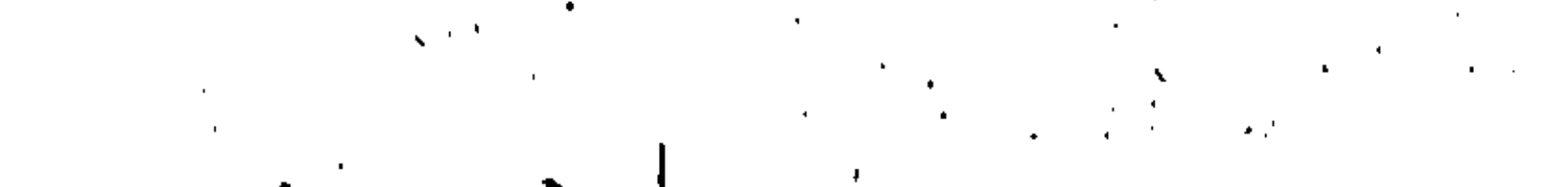
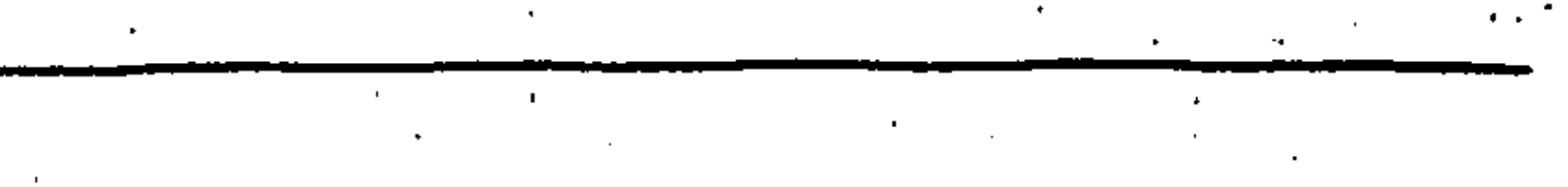
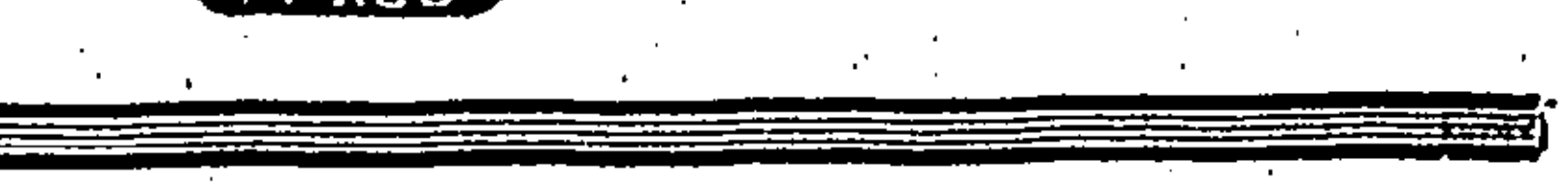
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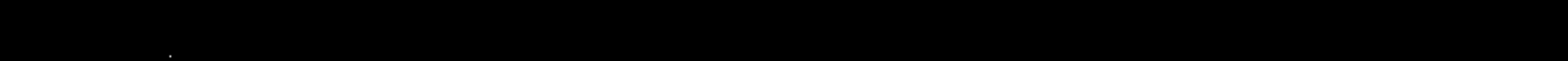
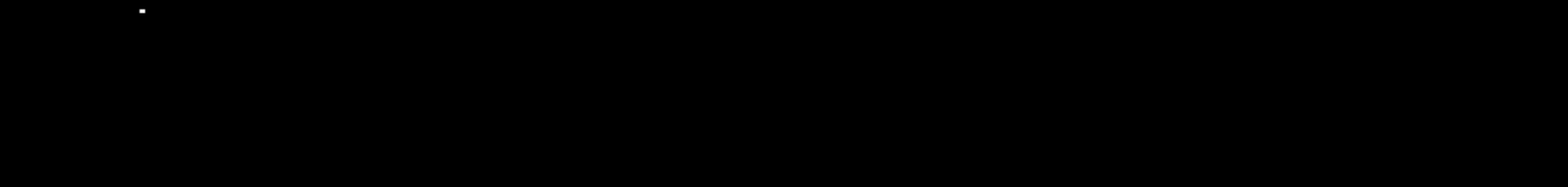
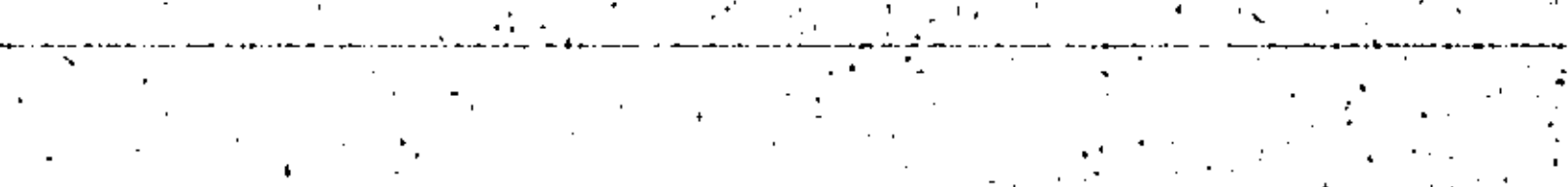
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LOCAL SOCCER

Several Postponements For Saturday Next

Several postponements are notified for next Saturday's local football programme, the most notable being the match between the Club and the Navy in the First Division. The match between the Club de Recreo and the Kowloon Football Club has also been re-arranged. In the place of these two postponements it has been arranged that the Royal Navy and the Club de Recreo play off their match originally fixed for March 3. This game will be played on the Kowloon Football Club ground commencing at 4.15 p.m. In the Second Division the following matches arranged for Saturday next

BASKETBALL

Wah Yan College Win Senior Shield

After a keen and exciting match, Wah Yan College on Tuesday afternoon beat Wah Kiu College in the final for the Senior Basketball Shield. Both teams had been previously unbeaten, so that the excitement was intense. Every possible point of vantage round Blake Gardens, where the match was played, was occupied. The final whistle went with Wah Yan leading by 11 points, the full-time score being 27-16. The match had been postponed—Hongkong Football Club v. South Wales Borderers, University v. Chinese Athletics and Eastern v. Kowloon Football Club.

Interport Shoot

Colony Bad Last In Triangular Match

Hongkong finished a bad last in the Triangular Interport Rifle Shoot which has been won by Shanghai, who compiled a grand total of 965 points against Singapore's aggregate of 954. Shanghai fired last week, when their ten counting men averaged 96.5. Twelve men shoot, but only the ten best scores count. The only rifle allowed to be used is the short magazine Lee-Enfield .303. The ranges are 200, 500 and 600 yards, one sighter and seven scoring shots at each range. Shanghai fired on November 4 last, and registered a total of 888 points. Shanghai's detailed scores were as follows:

	200	500	600	Total
A. Mottu	24	24	24	72
H. Berloff	22	22	22	66
C. W. Glover	21	21	21	63
H. Evangelista	21	21	21	63
W. Reed	20	20	20	60
I. Gullerud	20	20	20	60
M. Jordan	19	19	19	57
V. Bhargava	18	18	18	54
S. L. Cha	18	18	18	54
V. W. Ribbons	18	18	18	54
	204	202	202	608

Counted out: S.S. Yenton 89, A. Comtese 86.

FRIENDLY HOCKEY

Y.M.C.A. SENIORS BEAT ST. ANDREW'S

N. A. E. Mackay, who usually plays in the forward line, made his debut as goalkeeper for St. Andrew's Club against the European Y.M.C.A. first eleven in a friendly hockey match played at King's Park yesterday afternoon. The Y.M.C.A. won by one goal to nil. Mackay was never really tested and had bad luck with the shot that did enter the net.

The Y.M.C.A. commenced with only eight men, having to rely on two forwards, W. J. Brown and A. L. Henry. It was during this period that Brown found the net with a shot scored from a difficult angle.

G. H. Fowler, R. A. Bates and S. Fowler arrived during the first half and completed the Y.M.C.A. line-out. The Saints' forwards, with the exception of the opening minutes of the game, never looked like becoming dangerous and attacked very seldom.

Farmer, at centre-half, and Sommer, at right-back, repulsed the Saints' forward line, Farmer putting in some good clearances.

F. A. Broadbridge and E. H. P. White, the Saints' backs, both played hard in the defence. Frequent offside by their forwards prevented several Y.M.C.A. attacks from materialising.

Radio Win In a friendly match between

RUMJAHN AND MRS. CHIU PASS INTO SECOND ROUND

Fourteen couples have entered for the Colony Mixed Doubles Tennis Championship this year, and the draw, which was made at the Chinese Recreation Club last evening, gives promise of some very interesting matches.

H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chui and L. Goldman and Miss H. Hancock move through into the second round without opposition. Both these pairs are strong contenders for the title.

E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Daziel, another pair who will need close watching, meet Paul Kong and Miss Cheung Woon-wai in the first round.

The complete draw was as follows: FIRST ROUND

Lee Wai-tong and Miss Ellen Tsao v. T. A. Pearce and Miss H. Hancock; E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Daziel v. Paul Kong and Miss Cheung Woon-wai; H. T. Armstrong and Mrs. P. P. Whitham v. Capt. E. Manners and Mrs. E. Grimble; Lieut. C. Ravenhill and Miss Conder v. W. C. Hung and Miss M. Grilloh; S. A. Gray and Miss A. Mackenzie v. Mr. and Mrs. Ho Ka-lau.

SECOND ROUND

L. Goldman and Miss H. Hancock, bye; H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chui, bye. The first round of the championship has to be completed before December 15.

The Radio Sports Club and the Hongkong Police played on the Police Training School ground yesterday the Radio won by one goal to nil. Play was fast and exciting both sides pressing in turns.

M. H. Hassan, the Radio centre-half, scored from a pass from Kitchell in the first half. After this interval the Police forwards showed better combination and tried hard for the equalizer but the Radio intermediate line proved the main stumbling block.

For the Police, Perkins at centre-forward played a sterling game while the Radio was best served by Hassan and Kitchell in defence.

Awatar Singh and M. de Souza, a promising new player on the right flank, were the pick of the forwards.

CAMBRIDGE WIN AT RUGBY

London, Nov. 19. Cambridge University had a narrow win to-day when they beat Newport's rugby fifteen by 18 points to 13.—*Reuter*.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Draft Programmes and Entry Forms for the Twelfth Extra Race Meeting, to be held on Saturday, the 1st December, 1934, (Weather permitting), may be obtained at the Secretary's Office, Gloucester Building; the Club House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Sports Club; and the Stables, Shan Kwong Road.

Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on Thursday, the 22nd November, 1934.

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PONSFORD RETIRES

Testimonial Match In Melbourne

Melbourne, Nov. 20. When the next cricket test matches between England and Australia are played, Australia will take the field without the services of Woodfull, Ponsford and O'Reilly.

Woodfull announced his impending retirement some time ago, O'Reilly announced his withdrawal from first-class cricket a few weeks ago and Ponsford stated to-day that he would no longer be available for first-class matches.

Ponsford's announcement was made at the conclusion of a testimonial match to Woodfull and Ponsford for their services to Australian cricket. The match was played between teams captained by Richardson and Woodfull. Woodfull's team won by seven wickets.

Darting first, Richardson's Eleven scored 100. Grimmett took five wickets for 64. Woodfull's team replied with 316 (Woodfull 111, Ponsford 83).

In their second innings, Richardson's men did much better, putting on 309. Richardson top-scored with 107 and Grimmett again took the majority of wickets, finishing up with four for 108.

Woodfull's team carried their score to 280 for three wickets. Brown made 102 and Ponsford 48.—*Reuter*.

WEST INDIES TOUR

London, Nov. 20. The M.C.C. has selected the following cricketers for the West Indies tour: Wyatt and Holmes (Surrey), Townsend (Oxford University), Farnes, W. Harbord (Yorkshire), Henderson, Hammond, Leyland, Ames, Smith (Middlesex), Paine, Iddon, Farrimond, Hollis (Warwickshire).—*Reuter*.

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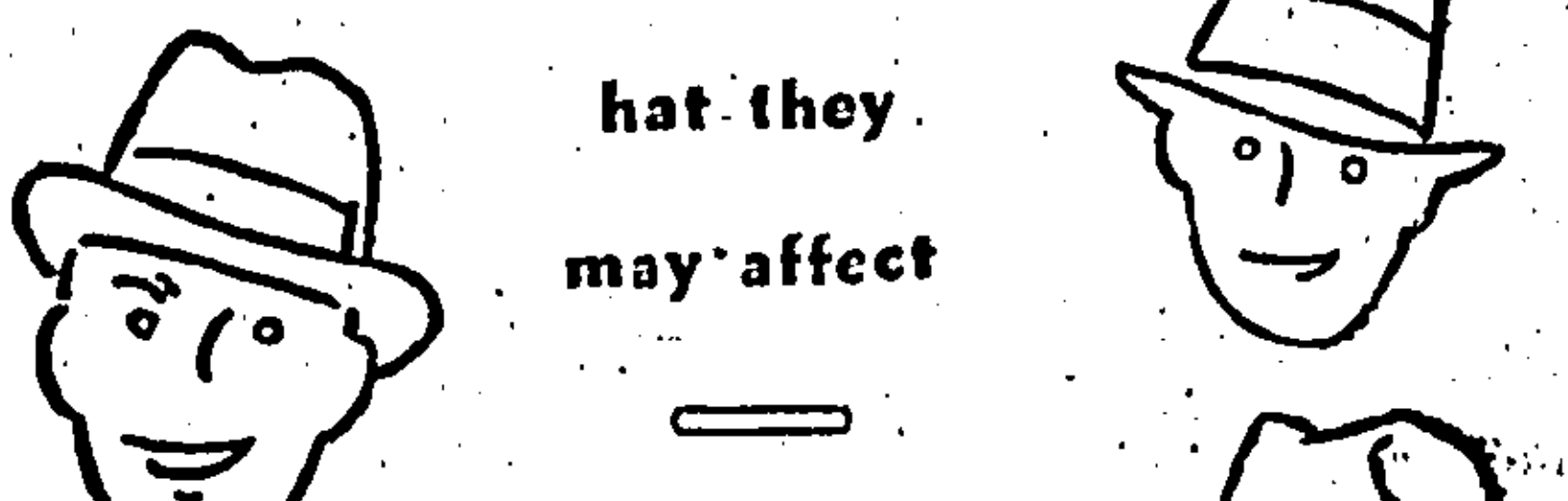
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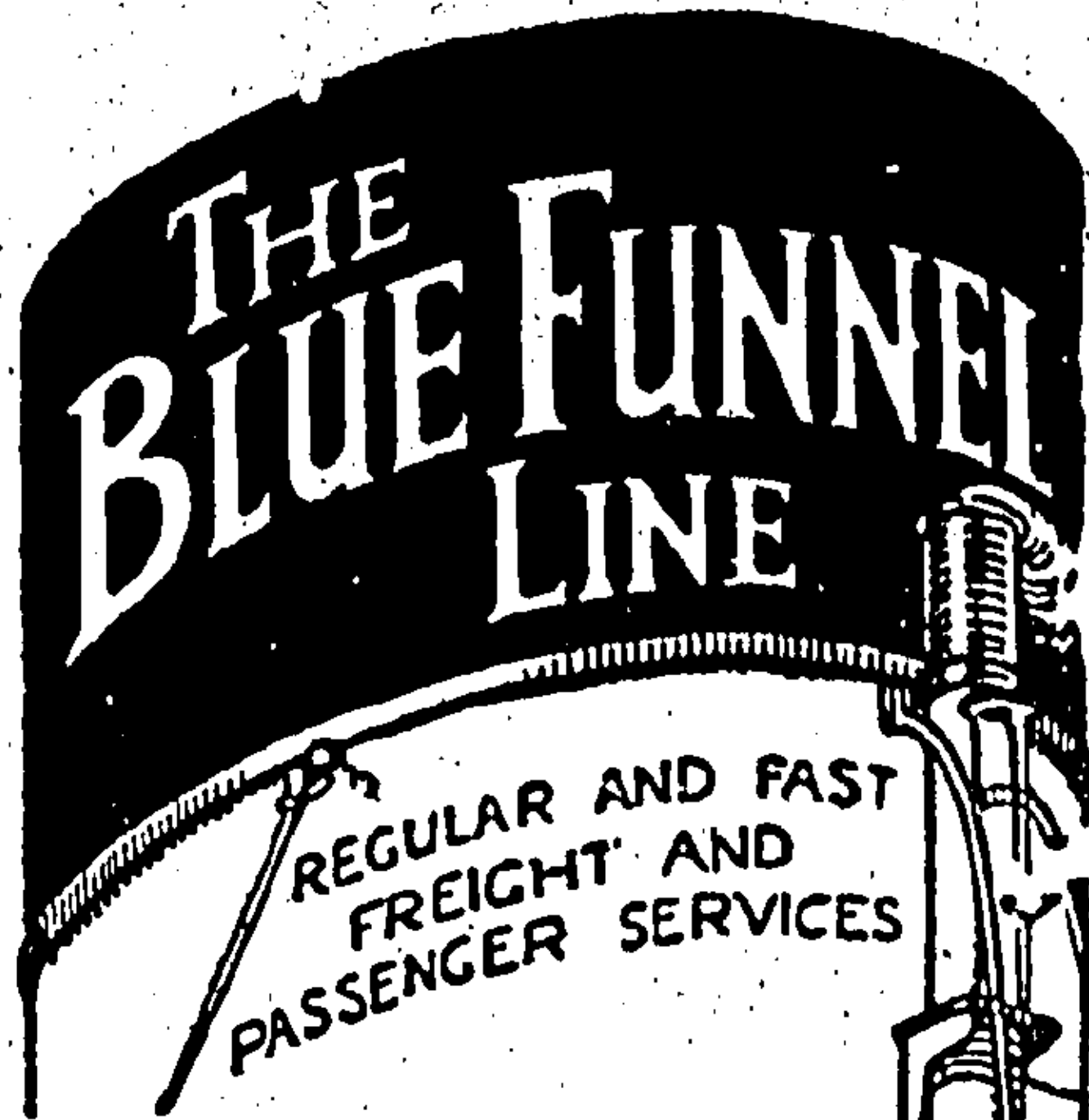
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SERIAL STORY

The Clue Of The Forgotten Murder:

By CARLETON KENDRAKE

BEGIN HERE TO-DAY

When DAN HENNER, publisher of The Blade, learns that CHARLES MORDEN, police reporter, has been mysteriously shot he determines to employ SIDNEY GRIFF, famous criminologist, to solve the murder.

MORDEN and been assigned to work all he could about FRANK B. CATHAY, wealthy and prominent, who had threatened to sue The Blade because the newspaper reported CATHAY had been arrested. Last it was proven that the man arrested, giving the name of CATHAY and accompanied by a girl called MAIRY HUGHES, was an impostor.

The Blade published a retraction.

Then MORDEN was found dead and a few hours later came news that CATHAY is dead—possibly poisoned.

SIDNEY GRIFF undertakes the case. He calls on CATHAY's doctor and then goes to see CHARLES FISHER, CATHAY's friend and lawyer.

CHAPTER XIII

GRIFF had been listening to the lawyer intently. "How long," he asked, "was this reporter in River-view?"

"Just a day I think. Perhaps not a day. I don't know. He made some investigation and made some comments. He spent most of his time in the office of The River-view Chronicle, a newspaper, by the way, which has been hostile to Mr. CATHAY's political candidacy for membership in the city council."

"Did that man," asked GRIFF, "call on you, counselor?"

"On me?"

"Yes."

"No, certainly not. He was collecting evidence which would have a tendency to undermine my client's reputation. Naturally, he would hardly have called upon me."

"You didn't know him then?"

"No."

"Perhaps then," said the criminologist, "you entirely missed the significance of the account in The Blade this morning of the murder of one of its reporters."

Charles Fisher gripped the edge of his desk. His head was thrust forward. His eyes fastened upon the criminologist's face and gradually grew wider and wider.

"Good heavens!" he said. "You don't mean to tell me... it can't be... it isn't... that is, it wasn't the same man?"

GRIFF nodded.

Charles Fisher got slowly to his feet. He mopped his forehead with a handkerchief, regarded GRIFF with wide, startled eyes.

"Good heavens!" he said.

GRIFF said nothing.

"Now," said Fisher slowly, "I can understand your interest in the matter. I understand who is employing you."

GRIFF remained silent.

The attorney looked at his watch, went to the window and stood with his back to GRIFF, looking down at the street. He turned at length to the criminologist.

"Has the newspaper," he asked, "any idea of the motive for the murder?"

GRIFF shrugged his shoulders.

"Really, counselor," he said, "I can't tell you just what the newspaper knows or what it suspects."

Charles Fisher made clucking noises with his tongue against the roof of his mouth and shook his head from side to side, after the manner of one who has heard most disagreeable news.

"This," he said, "is very likely to complicate the situation, to complicate it most dreadfully."

GRIFF got to his feet.

"Well," he said, "I've enjoyed meeting you, counselor. I just dropped in to say hello. This is Saturday and I presume you'll observe the usual half holiday."

"Is there," asked Fisher with a forced attempt at his old cordiality, "anything I can do to assist you, Mr. GRIFF, which will not in any way conflict with my professional obligations to my clients?"

GRIFF smiled at him.

"I think not," he said.

The two men shook hands.

GRIFF went at once to a public telephone, called the office of Dr. P. C. Cooper and explained to the nurse that it was quite important that he talk with Doctor Cooper upon a personal matter.

A moment later he heard Doctor Cooper's voice on the wire.

"This is GRIFF, Doctor Cooper," he said, "the criminologist who called on you earlier this morning."

"Yes," said Doctor Cooper in a tone that was calm and wary. "What is it you wish, Mr. GRIFF?"

"I just wanted to tell you," GRIFF said, "that I have been in communication with the counsel who is representing Mrs. Frank B. CATHAY, and that the CATHAYs are planning to have you cited before the medical board because of the statements you made concerning the symptoms of Mr. Frank B. CATHAY."

"Yes?" said Doctor Cooper in the tone of voice one uses in asking a courteous question.

"Yes," GRIFF said, "and I just thought, Doctor Cooper, that if a most-mortem should disclose that your diagnosis was correct and that of Doctor Amstead incorrect, it might go a long way toward eliminating the necessity for any defence upon your part."

GRIFF ceased talking and held the telephone to his ear. For a moment there was only the buzzing noise of the wire. Then Doctor Cooper's voice said in the same cautious, thoughtful tone, "Thank you."

There was a click at the end of the line.

GRIFF slipped the receiver back on its hook.

SIDNEY GRIFF's taxicab deposited him at the wide entrance to the CATHAY mansion. GRIFF inspected the well kept grounds, the huge building which, despite its magnitude, seemed to blend in with the grounds and the perfect harmony. The building looked as though it might have grown there.

"You want me to wait?" asked the cab driver.

"Yes," GRIFF said, and started up the long cement walk which led from the front of the house.

He had almost reached the porch when the door opened and a tall man with broad shoulders and a slight paunch which bulged out his waistcoat stepped with quick vigour from the house and turned sharply to the right, walking across the porch to stairs which led to a driveway that came from the garage.

GRIFF called a low comment:

"Hello, Racine," he said. "You going to pass me up?"

The man whirled at the sound of the voice. His eyes stared at SIDNEY GRIFF with an expression of quick recognition which speedily gave way to wary appraisal. He turned and walked back toward GRIFF with a leisurely manner. The quick, purposeful stride of his stride was now only a slow, steady advance.

GRIFF watched him with eyes that twinkled with amusement, yet were cautiously watchful.

"Business here, Racine?" he asked.

Carl Racine stood with his feet planted slightly apart, his big shoulders squared, his eyes staring steadily at the criminologist.

"Business here, GRIFF?" he asked mockingly.

GRIFF nodded. "Yes," he said. "I want to see Mrs. CATHAY."

"Hardly a time for social visits," Racine pointed out.

GRIFF shrugged his shoulders in a polite gesture of dismissal.

"After all, Racine," he said, "that is a matter for Mrs. CATHAY to determine. If she has been able to see Carl Racine of the Racine Detective

Bureau she doubtless will be able to see me."

"Perhaps," Racine said.

There was a moment of silence.

"I wonder if you can tell me just what angle of this case you're working on?" Racine asked.

"How many angles has it?" GRIFF countered.

Racine frowned impatiently.

"Oh," he said, "I'm just a square-toed d. I can't match wits with you if it comes to a matter of being indefinite in conversation. You don't have to tell me if you don't want to, but don't be so damned superior."

"After all, you're only human, you know, even if you are SIDNEY G. GRIFF, the great criminologist."

GRIFF said nothing. His eyes held a twinkle of amusement.

"I thought," Racine said, "that you might like a chance to pool information on this."

"Oh," said GRIFF, "that's fair enough. You start off. You tell me something, then I'll tell you something."

"That's a bargain," Racine said.

"Who are you working for?"

GRIFF's laugh was almost sarcastic. "So that was the way you wanted to pool information, was it, Racine?"

A smooch running motor slid into view, stopped where the side steps of the porch met the driveway. The CATHAY chauffeur alid from behind the wheel, opened the rear door of the car and stared steadily at the two men.

"There is," said GRIFF musingly, "something strange about that chauffeur, Racine. Turn around and take a look at him. He wears the livery of a servant but notice the expression on his face. He's evidently very much irritated because we're talking together."

Racine did not turn, but he straightened abruptly and his tone became formal.

"He's in a hurry," he said. "He's under instructions to get me to a certain place. I've got to start. Goodbye, GRIFF."

Racine crossed the porch with long strides. The chauffeur stood at rigid attention, his face a mask. As the detective entered the car, the chauffeur slammed the door, turned to face SIDNEY GRIFF.

"You can't see Mrs. CATHAY," he said, jerking open the front door of the car. He did not wait for a reply, nor did he turn back for any instructions from the detective.

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In the next installment GRIFF calls on Mrs. Frank CATHAY, beneficiary of her husband's million-dollar insurance policies.

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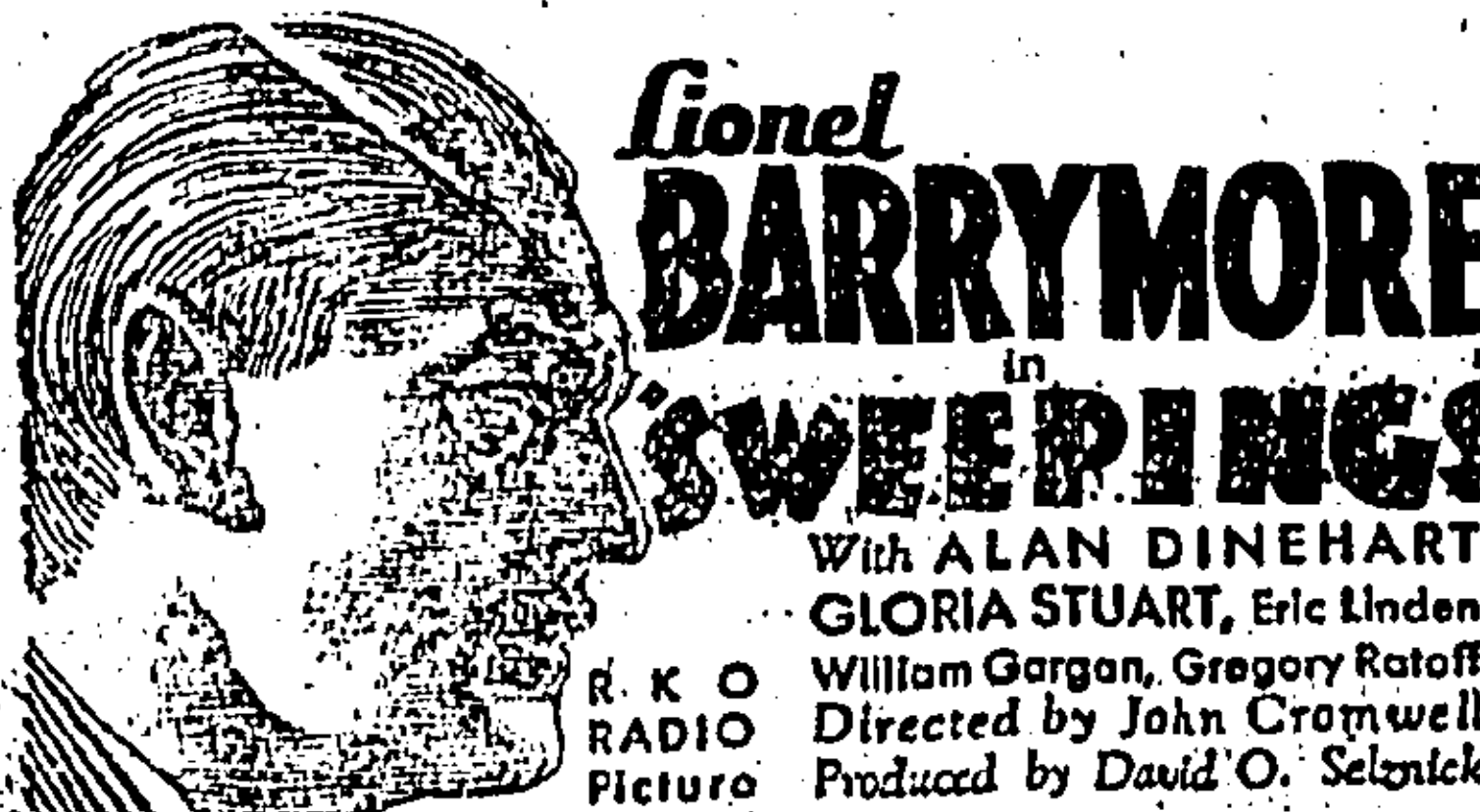
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Nanking, Nov. 20. With a view to regulating food supply throughout the country, and thus removing to some extent the danger of famine, the Nanking Financial Ministry has decided to create a special bureau in the Ministry which will be entrusted with the duties of facilitating the marketing and transportation of food supplies in various provinces. If found necessary, branch offices will be established at important centres in various provinces in order to facilitate its work.—Central News.

BRITISH FINANCES

LATEST EXCHEQUER FIGURES

London, Nov. 20. Exchequer returns for the past week show that during the current financial year the total ordinary revenue, exclusive of self-balancing revenue amounted at November 17 to £368,378,414, which is £2,275,150 less than the amount collected at the corresponding date last year.

Expenditure for the same period, exclusive of the new brigantine, was £431,824,236, which exceeds the amount expended at the corresponding date of last year by £9,859,938.—British Wireless.

NEW PRESIDENT OF LEAGUE ASSEMBLY

(Special to "Telegraph")

Geneva, Nov. 20. The League of Nations Assembly to-day elected the Mexican delegate, Senor Najera, President of that body.—United Press.

FAIR WEATHER

The anticyclone remains unchanged over China and the depression is still indicated to the north-east of Hokkaido. Local forecast.—N. E. winds, moderate; fair.

"ROMANCE" LAUNCHED

THIS MORNING'S CEREMONY

Using a hammer, tied with red, blue and white ribbons, Mrs. D. Drummond, wife of Mr. D. Drummond, Oriental Manager of the Canadian Pacific Steamship, smashed a bottle of Minchinbury champagne (Rooft Hill, N.S.W.) and launched the brigantine "Romance" from A. King's slipway this morning.

Ideal weather favoured the occasion, and the new craft, built to the order and design of Captain E. P. Green, former commander of the R. M. S. Empress of Asia, glided smoothly into the water. Gaily bedecked with flags, the "Romance" presented a pleasing picture as she was brought in to moor alongside the pier.

Many visitors availed themselves of the opportunity of inspecting the sturdy craft in which Capt. Green and his 18-year-old son, Phillip, are to travel to Vancouver, thence to England and the tropics.

Following the christening ceremony a long string of crackers was fired and the "Romance" took to the water amid applause.

THE SPEECHES.

Later, Mr. Drummond, proposing the success of the new brigantine, congratulated Capt. Green on building the craft "out of his own head". Knowing the skipper as he did, he was sure that Capt. Green intended to operate the vessel according to his own ideas.

Captain Green, he said, had just retired from the service which he (Mr. Drummond) represented and he felt sure the best wishes of all on shore and afloat went to Captain Green and his new venture. He wished Captain Green and his family success, and expressed the hope that they would find romance, happiness and sweet contentment in their ship. (Applause).

Replying, Captain Green expressed hearty thanks to Mrs. Drummond for performing the launching ceremony. He paid a warm tribute to A. King and Chan Shun-fat, the builders, who had put in a lot of wonderful work. He had watched the building of the "Romance" and had seen the work put in.

"I think I can say that she is the strongest ship ever built in

FIVE MOTOR VESSELS

HARLAND & WOLFF GET ORDERS

London, Nov. 20. It is stated that Messrs. Harland and Wolff, of Belfast, have secured contracts for five motor vessels.

Three of these, of 10,760 tons, are for the Blue Line New Zealand services, and two of 13,000 tons are for the Union Castle Line's intermediate service to South Africa.—British Wireless.

Hongkong, if not in the world, of that size," he concluded.

Among visitors present were Mr. A. L. Shields, Commodore of the Royal Hongkong Yacht Club, Mr. H. S. House, Vice-Commodore of the Yacht Club, Commander and Mrs. W. G. Cowland, R.N., Mr. and Mrs. Monaghan, Mr. and Mrs. Costello, Mr. and Mrs. E. Spiers, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stevenson, Mrs. E. Cock, Capt. Bayliss, Messrs. L. E. N. Ryan, H. R. Latham, E. Blackburn, P. Newman and V. Goulburn.

TRIAL TRIP.

When the ship is completely rigged up, Captain Green together with his son, will sail to Manila and back for a trial trip. This will be made on or about December 10, and subsequently the more hazardous trans-oceanic trip will be commenced.

The construction work of the new craft has been splendidly carried out by A. King, the well-known local yacht builder. It is 45 feet overall, with a wide beam of 14 feet 6 inches. It has three state-rooms, two bath rooms and a main saloon. The luxurious fittings include Chinese carved panels in the dining room and a carved table.

Four kinds of wood have been employed in the building of the Romance. For the hull and deck, teak is utilized; yachel for the keel, stern and stem posts and frames; Oregon pine for the masts and spars; and camphor-wood for the figurehead, which will be named Frances, the Christian name of Captain Green's wife.

The mainmast is 36 feet in height and the foremast 34 feet. All fastenings are carried out in brass and every frame has a double cutting. The "Romance" is to be fitted with an Alfa Craig engine, manufactured in Chiswick, London.

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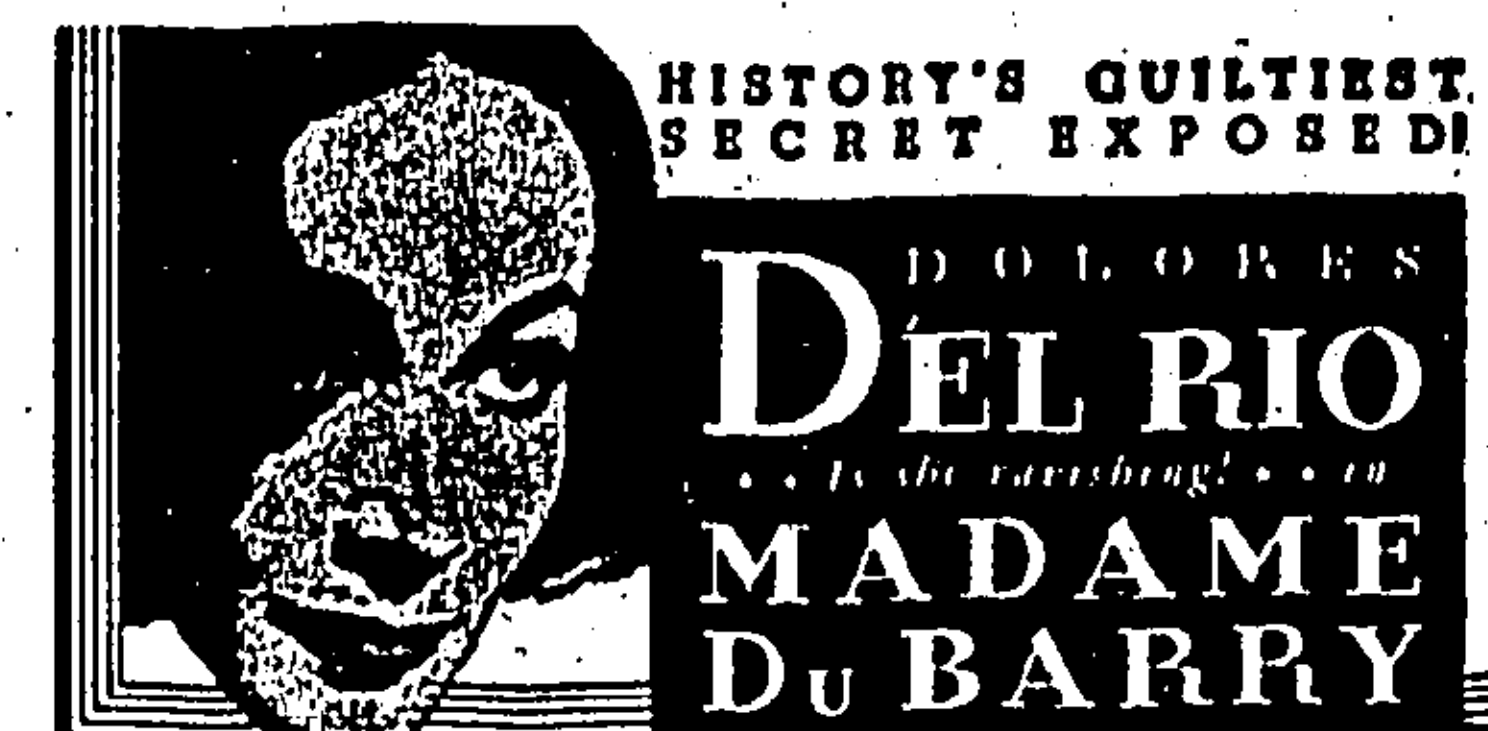
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Sir.—It is a pity that amateur shows cannot be given without petty jealousies and back-bittings. Just as all amateur productions are open to criticism, so are those who dare to criticise them in writing. Can't we be more broad-minded in these things and give credit where credit is due? Don't run a person down because he or she hap-

pens get a bigger "plum" than another fellow.

The general opinion is that the concert last Saturday was a success and when we come down to it, the Conductor, the principals, orchestra and chorus all thoroughly enjoyed it. Something should be said of the very hard work done by Mr. Anderson, Miller, the Conductor, and deserves a great deal of credit for the success of the production, so far.

Let the public and the members of the Society forget these petty back-bittings and go to the performance on Saturday night determined to enjoy it.

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